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This third annual report uses nine benchmarks of child and adolescent health, education, and socioeconomic well-being to measure the condition of American children across the nation and state by state. The benchmarks are as follows: (1) percent low birth weight babies; (2) infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births); (3) child death rate (ages 1-14 years) (per 100,000 children); (4) teen violent death rate (ages 15-19 years) (per 100,000 teens); (5) percent of all births that are to single teens; (6) juvenile custody rate (ages 10-15 years) (per 100,000 youth); (7) percent graduating from high school; (8) percent of children in poverty; and (9) percent of children in single-parent families. The document includes an overview with highlights of the findings including a chart showing national composite ranks for all states. A section of national and state profiles contains an outline of the national situation regarding each of the benchmarks and the percent change since 1980, a national minority profile, and individual state profiles for the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Appendices contain charts showing national goals and performance for children, scores and national rankings of the states, a 3-year profile of the changes since this publications was first produced, and states in rank order by indicator. Notes on the definition of key terms are provided along with a listing of data sources, information in the publishing institution, and partners in the project. (JB)

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Foreword

> **As a nation, we urgently need a sustained commitment to an array of coherent family policies that are relevant to the circumstances of today's families and that are dedicated to the premise that families should be supported in meeting the needs of their children.**

In 1989, The Annie E. Casey Foundation and the Center for the Study of Social Policy launched KIDS COUNT, a project that profiles the condition of America's children at the national, state, and community levels. Using the best available measures of child well-being, KIDS COUNT is premised on the belief that the more the public and policymakers know about the needs of children, the more likely we as a nation are to find the will and means to address them.

At the national level, the principal activity of the initiative is the publication and dissemination of the *KIDS COUNT Data Book*. This 1992 *KIDS COUNT Data Book* is the third annual edition. At the state level, The Annie E. Casey Foundation has funded eighteen projects to collect, analyze, and disseminate state and local data on the status of children.

In the "Overview and Findings" section of this year's *KIDS COUNT Data Book*, we begin with a focus on what may add up to one of the most pivotal social developments in late 20th century America: the change in the capacity of typical families to raise their children well. The facts and figures in the Overview document what many Americans know intuitively: Families today have fewer resources to provide for their children, less time to devote to their nurturing, fewer informal supports, and more anxiety about their children's futures.

These social and economic realities have potential implications that we can ill afford to ignore. They include the disturbing increase in the incidence of family stress and crises, child neglect, and childhood behavior disorders which are serious enough to require public intervention. Furthermore, if we permit the resources and supports available to families to continue to erode, the proportion of children who are undernourished, undereducated, underachieving, and unprepared for parenthood will continue to grow.

As a nation, we urgently need a sustained commitment to an array of coherent family policies that are relevant to the circumstances of today's families and that are dedicated to the premise that families should be supported in meeting the needs of their children. Above all, we need to forge a new partnership between community institutions and family, and between work and family—a partnership that can enable and encourage families to succeed in their most irreplaceable function: raising healthy, secure, and productive citizens for the future.

This will mean a review and reform of wage policies, tax policies, unemployment, and welfare-benefit policies so that fewer kids grow up in poverty, not more.

This will mean new leave policies, day-care systems, school reforms, and work-site practices so that more children of working parents are appropriately nurtured and supervised.

This will mean more community-based programs, more family-support resources, more engaging school curricula, and more positive youth-development opportunities so that the caring and teaching responsibilities of parents can be reinforced and complemented by neighborhoods, communities, and schools.

This will mean improved systems of health care that take into account the range of child and family needs and the virtual unaffordability of uninsured medical care.

This agenda is neither new nor radical. It's about a renewed commitment to make today's increasingly challenged families succeed. Free public schools, disabled veteran pensions, settlement houses, child labor laws, the eight-hour work day, the minimum wage, the original aid to dependent children, mortgage deductions, and even the traditional school-year calendar (which gave summers off for farm work) are historic public-policy initiatives that were designed to help families meet the needs of their children. The challenge before us now is to refit our contemporary social policies to the changing realities of American families in the 1990s.

If this year's edition of the *KIDS COUNT Data Book* is able to stimulate further inquiry, commitment, and action in this regard, it will have fulfilled its purpose.

Douglas W. Nelson
Executive Director
The Annie E. Casey Foundation

Overview and Findings

Kids count in the lives of their families every day. They enrich family life and promise a continuation of traditions, values, and family in the future. Children also count for the nation, for today's kids are tomorrow's parents, workers, community leaders, voters, and investors.

The 1990s will be a decisive decade for our children and for America. This nation's capacity to meet the challenges and rapid changes of the early 21st century are being defined and determined right now. It is today that American children are or are not getting off to a healthy start, are entering the first grade ready to learn or already behind, are experiencing growing up as a time of ever-expanding opportunities or one of stifled dreams, are feeling loved and loving or alone and bitter.

The annual *KIDS COUNT Data Book* documents how well or how poorly children are doing in the United States and in each state. It is also a report card on all of us: how we have done over the last decade in assuring all children a safe, healthy, and successful start in life. This third annual report uses nine benchmarks of child and adolescent health, education, and socio-economic well-being to measure the condition of American children.

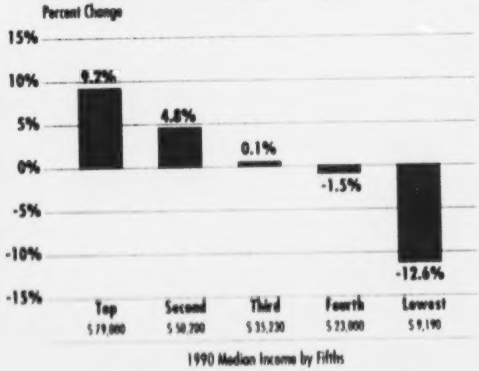
Millions of children thrive in America. However, the KIDS COUNT profile reveals a nation failing to keep pace with the needs of its youngest citizens. Over the 1980s, we made no progress or slipped backwards in seven of nine measures of child well-being. Child poverty expanded. Births to unmarried teens climbed. More children are living in families with only one parent. More babies are being born at-risk because they are underweight. We made no progress in graduating young people from high school on time. The chances that a teenager, particularly an African-American teen, will die as a result of an accident, suicide, or murder rose. And, more young people are required by juvenile courts to spend formative years away from their families and communities because they are in trouble. Our only advance has been in reducing the death of infants and young children, though that progress has not been shared equally by all children. The 1990s offer us a choice—to do nothing and consign our children to rising risk and in so doing be complicit in their eclipsed futures, or to rise to the occasion and reverse these results.

How American Children Are Doing

KIDS COUNT Benchmark	National Trends Over the 1980s	State Trends
Percent low birth weight babies	3% WORSE	35 states worse*
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	22% BETTER	51 states better*
Child death rate ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	18% BETTER	48 states better*
Teen violent death rate ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	11% WORSE	34 states worse*
Percent all births that are to single teens	14% WORSE	42 states worse
Juvenile custody rate ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	10% WORSE	32 states worse*
Percent graduating high school	0% NO CHANGE	28 states better
Percent children in poverty	22% WORSE	40 states worse
Percent children in single-parent families	13% WORSE	44 states worse

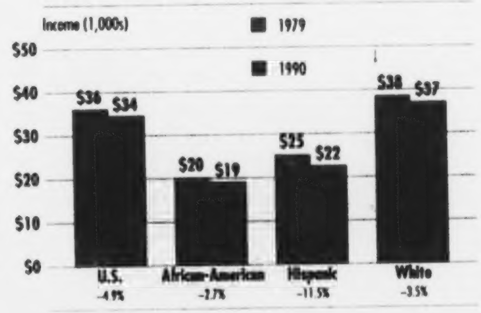
*Includes the District of Columbia

Percent Change in Median Income of Families with Children: 1979-1990



Income and percent change in constant 1990 dollars

Difference in Median Income of Families with Children by Race and Ethnicity: 1979-1990



Income and percent change in constant 1990 dollars

Changing Family Realities

American parents care about their children. They spend most of their time at work or taking care of family matters. They want to give their children the right start in life and a better chance than they themselves had. But many families live in situations that make it difficult to reach these goals. Major shifts in the U.S. economy, a growing mismatch between community institutions and child and family needs, and changes in the routines and realities of family life—these all have profoundly affected American families and their children. Some of these new realities make it increasingly difficult for many families to provide for their children. They have fewer financial resources and less time. Family life for parents and children is more stressful.

Families on average have less income on which to bring up their children. Between 1979 and 1990, the real median income of families with children fell by 5 percent, while the costs of housing, health care, transportation, and education rose. Minority incomes are substantially below white incomes. Hispanic families, in particular, lost ground during the decade; their median family income decreased by over 11 percent. The only families with children to make gains during the 1980s were those at the top of the income spectrum. Families with average median incomes of $35,000 or less experienced no significant growth or a loss of real income during the 1980s. The poorest families sustained almost a 13 percent decrease in their median incomes.

Average family incomes vary substantially by state. By the end of the decade, the median income of a family with children in Connecticut was $47,748 while in Mississippi it was $24,773, about half as much.

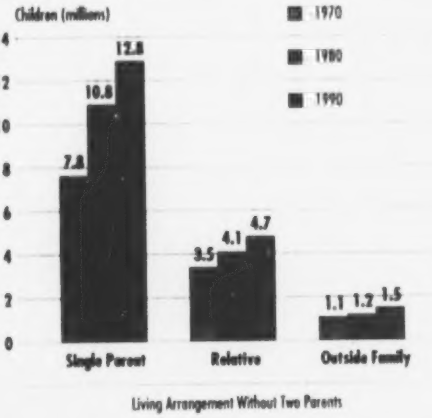
American families typically have less time to devote to the supervision, education, and nurturing of their children than they did two decades ago. In part, responding to the increased difficulties of supporting a family on one wage, mothers have moved steadily into the work force. While almost 39 percent of children had mothers in the work force in 1970, by 1990 that proportion had climbed to 61 percent. Having a parental caretaker for children at home full time is becoming an exception to what was still the norm less than thirty years ago.

Median Income for Families with Children: 1986-1990

1	Connecticut	$47,748	18	Wyoming	$36,620	35	Indiana	$31,811
2	New Jersey	$47,252	19	Ohio	$36,102	36	North Carolina	$31,490
3	New Hampshire	$44,937	20	New York	$35,528	37	South Carolina	$31,042
4	Massachusetts	$43,463	21	Kansas	$35,430	38	South Dakota	$30,983
5	Maryland	$42,323	22	Utah	$35,101	39	Florida	$30,949
6	Alaska	$41,246	23	Pennsylvania	$34,955	40	Oklahoma	$29,956
7	Hawaii	$40,695	24	Oregon	$34,616	41	Idaho	$29,591
8	Virginia	$39,653	25	Colorado	$34,531	42	Louisiana	$29,553
9	Rhode Island	$38,957	26	Nevada	$34,464	43	Tennessee	$29,055
10	Wisconsin	$38,636	27	Maine	$34,119	44	Montana	$28,946
11	Minnesota	$38,377	28	Missouri	$33,943	45	Kentucky	$28,739
12	Washington	$37,513	29	North Dakota	$33,722	46	District of Columbia	$28,331
13	Delaware	$37,106	30	Georgia	$33,637	47	Alabama	$26,398
14	Michigan	$37,089	31	Nebraska	$33,242	48	New Mexico	$25,740
15	California	$36,874	32	Iowa	$32,931	49	Arkansas	$25,717
16	Illinois	$36,730	33	Arizona	$32,397	50	West Virginia	$25,488
17	Vermont	$36,640	34	Texas	$32,053	51	Mississippi	$24,773

Income in 1990 dollars

Children Living Without Their Two Parents: 1970-1990



Equally significant, more and more children are being raised in families where there is only one adult to meet the demands of parenthood. Over the last several decades, rising divorce rates and births to single women of all ages have dramatically increased the number and proportion of children being raised in one-parent families. One in five children, or almost 13 million, lives in a single-parent family, about double the share twenty years ago. Three out of ten babies, or over 1 million, were born to single mothers in 1989, almost a third of them to teenagers who were still children themselves.

Due in part to these social changes, many American families are confronting greater stress than ever before. Family financial worries are widespread as many parents, relatives, neighbors, or friends lose jobs; wages lag behind costs; and benefits erode or disappear. The strain of family dissolution is becoming an all too common childhood experience. More than 1 million children experience divorce each year. Over 6 million children live away from their parents—with other relatives, friends, neighbors, or in institutions. While they may be loved and well cared for, the fact that about 10 percent of American children do not live with their parents is a troubling symptom of family stress and crisis. And finally, while relatively few children commit suicide or are murdered, contract AIDS, or are drug addicted, the numbers in the past decade have increased enough so that fear of such a calamity weighs on many families.

The challenge of modern family life is captured in poll after poll. The National Commission on Children reported in November 1991 that 88 percent of Americans believe that parenting is much tougher today than it used to be. A January 1992 KIDS COUNT poll revealed that by a margin of almost two-to-one, Americans believe that children are worse off today than when their generation was growing up. Seventy percent of Americans surveyed in the National Association of Children's Hospitals' January 1992 "State of the Child" poll reported the situation for children in America today is worse than it was five years ago.

The Condition of Children

The *KIDS COUNT Data Book* profiles the condition of children at the national and state levels by nine measures of child risk and well-being. These benchmarks are generally comparable across states, and are widely regarded as significant and reliable indicators.

The Early Years: Percent Low Birth Weight Babies; Infant Mortality Rate

Business leaders, education and child development specialists, budget officers, and government officials all agree that a child's early years are critical. One of the national education goals developed by the White House and nation's governors is to have a nation of young children enter first grade ready to learn. However, many of our children are not getting off to a healthy start.

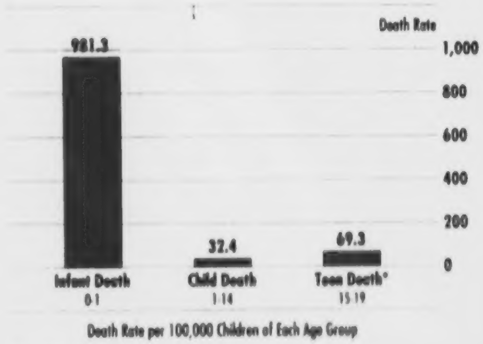
The percent of low birth weight babies increased slightly over the decade from 6.8 percent in 1980 to 7.0 percent in 1989. During the 1980s, more than 2.5 million children entered the world at-risk by virtue of weighing less than 5.5 pounds at birth. African-American babies are at greatest risk. While they made up just 18 percent of the babies born in 1989, they were 33 percent of the low birth weight babies in that year. Although many low birth weight babies grow up normally, the chances that they will experience health and developmental problems are greater than for heavier babies.

Over the decade, there was considerable variation among states' progress on this important indicator. Thirty-four states and the District of Columbia saw an increase in the percent of babies born with low birth weight. The District of Columbia, Michigan, New Mexico, Utah, and Washington experienced a 10 percent or greater increase between 1980 and 1989. Only fifteen states improved their low birth weight rate, and one, Wyoming, showed no change during this period.

The infant mortality rate of a nation is a proxy for the quality of life of a population. It reflects the health of the mother, the health of the baby, the conditions in which the baby lives during the first year of life, and the parenting he or she receives. **The first year of life is the most vulnerable. In 1989, 39,655 American babies died before their first birthdays. The U.S. infant mortality rate, however, has been improving. It dropped from 12.6 infant deaths per 1,000 live births in 1980 to 9.8 in 1989, a 22 percent improvement.** Gains occurred in every state. Nonetheless, there is almost a two-decade lag in improvements for African-American babies. The 1989 infant mortality rate for African-American babies is equivalent to the white rate in 1970. If the African-American infant mortality rate had been the same as the white or Hispanic rate in 1989, over half of the 12,527 African-American babies who died would have lived.

Growing up Poor: Percent Children in Poverty; Percent Children in Single-Parent Families; Percent All Births that are to Single Teens
Poor children are very much like other children except their families live without enough income. Most parents of poor children work. Most live in the suburbs or rural areas of the country. And for most of these poor families it is difficult to secure the basic goods and services essential for raising a child, such as adequate food and clothing, child care, health care, good schools, and safe housing. As a consequence of their poverty, their children's opportunities are limited or sometimes even foreclosed: the chance to go to preschool, receive quality child care, hire a tutor or take music lessons, learn a sport, buy books, go to camp or college. Going without these basics and opportunities can rob children of their childhood.

Risk of Child Death by Age: 1989



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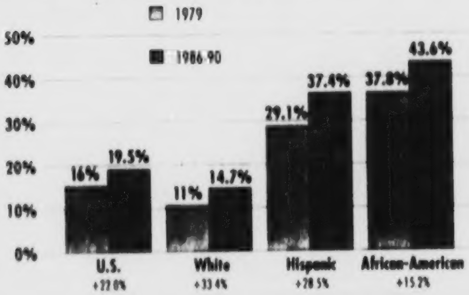
Percent Children in Poverty by Race and Ethnicity: 1979 to 1986-90



And too often poor children are at double jeopardy. They are the least healthy and the most likely to both live in unhealthy neighborhoods and go without health care; they are at greatest risk of school failure and among the most likely to go to a failing school; their family life is the most stressed and their families are unlikely to get adequate social supports.

Children are the poorest age group in America. In 1990, one in five, or 12.7 million children, was poor, an increase of 2.7 million children from 1979. Forty states saw the percent of children living in poverty rise over the decade for a nationwide increase of 22 percent. The large changes in state rankings between the beginning and end of the 1980s reflect a volatile decade for states economically. Many of the eleven jurisdictions where the percent of children in poverty shrank over the 1980s (Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Kentucky, New Hampshire, New Jersey, North Carolina, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Vermont, and Virginia) are now experiencing economic downturns and budget difficulties.

Most poor children are white, and white children saw their poverty rate increase the most during the decade. However, minority children are more likely to be poor. Nearly half of African-American children and over one-third of Hispanic children live in poverty. One in seven white children is poor.

In most poor families the father is present. However, the chances of being poor increase substantially when there is only one parent. **Over the last decade, the percent of children living in single-parent families has increased from 21.3 to 24.1 percent, a 13 percent increase. In 1990, almost 13 million children, 2 million more children than in 1980, lived in these primarily female-headed families.** Only four states—Connecticut, Nebraska, New Hampshire, and Rhode Island—saw a decline over the 1980s. And even in the top ranked state, North Dakota, one out of eight children lives in a single-parent family.

Minority children are more likely than white children to live in one-parent families. More than half of African-American children, nearly one-third of Hispanic, and almost one-fifth of white children live in single-parent families.

Similarly, there has been an increase in the number and percent of babies born to single teens. **Nationwide in 1980, 271,801 babies, or 7.5 percent of all babies born, were born to single teens. By 1989, the number had climbed by 76,079 to 347,880 babies, or 8.6 percent of all births—a 14 percent increase in the percent of all births to teens over the decade.** White single-teen births accounted for the majority of these births and the greatest increase over the decade. There was a 42 percent increase in the number of babies born to white teens between 1980 and 1989 and a 31 percent increase in the white rate.

The percent of all births that were to single teens increased in forty-two states between 1980 and 1989. So pervasive was the increase in births to single teens that in ten states the problem increased, but the state's relative rank on this measure got better (Alaska, California, Georgia, Hawaii, Kansas, Massachusetts, Minnesota, New Hampshire, North Dakota, and South Carolina). Utah, the top ranked state, remained first despite a significant increase in the problem.

Risk to Life Itself: Child Death Rate; Teen Violent Death Rate

The early childhood and middle years have become safer from death for children. In addition to a decline in the infant mortality rate, **there was an 18 percent improvement in the child death rate for children ages one to fourteen between 1980 and 1989.** Forty-seven states and the District of Columbia saw their child death rates improve. Only Arkansas, New Hampshire, and North Dakota experienced increases in their child death rates over the decade. In addition, the gap between high and low ranking states narrowed over the 1980s.

However, the improvements were not shared equally by all children. While African-American children made up 16 percent of one- to fourteen-year-olds in 1989, they sustained just over 23 percent of the child deaths. The rate of improvement over the decade for African-American children was half that of white children. There are no data on Hispanic children for this measure.

While the younger childhood years became safer, however, the teen years became more dangerous. **The teen death rate from accidents, homicides, and suicides increased by 11 percent between 1984 and 1989.** The fifteen states that realized some improvements were primarily western and New England states (Arizona, Colorado, Delaware, Idaho, Maine, Massachusetts, Montana, Nebraska, New Jersey, North Dakota, Oregon, South Dakota, Utah, Vermont, and Wyoming). The increase in the teen violent death rate was driven by an increase in suicides and homicides. The number of accidents actually decreased over the decade.

The leading cause of death is different among African-American and white adolescents. Most white teens die in accidents. Most African-American teens die because they are murdered. This was not always so. In 1984, as many African-American teens died in accidents as in homicides. By 1989, almost twice as many African-American teens died in homicides (1,451 youths ages fifteen to nineteen) as in accidents (748 youths).

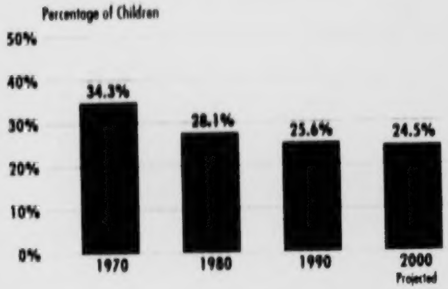
Making the Transition: Percent Graduating High School; Juvenile Custody Rate

In many respects, today's young people are like yesterday's. They take risks, test limits, and look for immediate rewards and results. This behavior is part of growing up. Fortunately, most teenagers successfully make the transition to adulthood. But for some, the journey is harder.

While today's young people may not have changed much, the world around them has. Once a strong back and common sense were all that was needed to earn a living wage. But today many employers require a high school diploma, and many are concerned about whether young people can communicate well on the job, are literate, and are reliable. An increasing number of new jobs will require a college education.

Despite these new labor market realities, **we have made virtually no progress in the percent of ninth graders graduating from high school within four years, and over the last three years of the decade, we have actually moved backwards.** In 1982, 69.7 percent of ninth graders had graduated from high school after four years. In 1989, 69.6 percent had graduated, nearly the same as in 1982 and less than the 1987 and 1988 percentages of just over 71. Slightly more than half of Hispanic children graduate from high school on time. They are the least likely to complete high school in four years and saw no change in their prospects over the 1980s. While a lower portion of African-American than white children graduate from high school in four years, the African-American rate improved in seven years while the white rate deteriorated slightly.

The results in the states varied over the decade with Connecticut achieving a 23 percent improvement between 1982 and 1989 and Michigan experiencing an 18 percent deterioration.



Children's Share of Total Population: 1970-2000

Overall, twenty-eight states made modest improvements in high school graduation rates while twenty-one states and the District of Columbia lost ground. There was no significant change in Iowa.

Children in juvenile custody are children in trouble. They are young people who have been detained or adjudicated for criminal offenses, public disorder, property damage; for using or selling drugs; for running away; or for truancy. They are in shelters, training schools, group homes, diagnostic centers, or special camps. **In 1989, 31,550 of our ten- to fifteen-year-olds were in custody. The juvenile custody rate rose by 10 percent between 1985 and 1989, from 142 to 156 per 100,000 youths ages ten to fifteen.**

The juvenile custody rate among states varies enormously as does the change in that rate over a four-year period. Nevada, for instance, had a juvenile custody rate of 348 per 100,000 juveniles ages ten to fifteen in 1989 while Hawaii's rate was 33. Between 1985 and 1989, the juvenile custody rate increased in thirty-one states and the District of Columbia and decreased in nineteen states. The change over time varied from an 85 percent increase in Iowa's rate to a 53 percent decrease in Hawaii's.

Whether these figures and trends are the result of greater delinquency among young people, program and facility capacities, or more vigorous intervention by juvenile courts or police is unclear. However, the bottom line is the same: Tens of thousands of American youths are being confined every day away from family and community. Their pasts have been difficult; their futures are uncertain.

Counting Children

Children in America are a shrinking fraction of our population. In 1990, there were more than 6 million fewer children than in 1970. Between 1980 and 1990, the number of children in thirty-three states and the District of Columbia decreased. While children made up over one-third of the population in 1970, by 1990 they constituted about a quarter. And families with children make up a diminishing portion of all American households. While there was a greater number of households with children in 1990 than in 1970 or 1980, these families made up a progressively smaller segment of all households: 45 percent in 1970; 38 percent in 1980; 35 percent in 1990.

This aging of America reflects the convergence of three separate trends. First, individual Americans are having fewer children than their parents did. Second, baby boomers, those born between 1946 and 1964 and our last sustained population bulge, are now heading into middle age and out of the primary child-bearing years. Third, more older Americans are living longer.

In the face of an aging America, we more than ever need our children to be healthy, skilled, confident, and caring. The baby born in 1980 will turn twelve this year and will be entering adulthood as we enter the new century. The baby born this year will enter the first grade in 1998; graduate from high school, if all goes well, in 2010; and graduate from college, if he or she attends, in 2014. This year's babies will be joining today's twelve-year-olds in the work force just as the first baby boomers near retirement. While they may not control the politics, these children, and all those born in between, will pay the taxes and provide the services in our communities and nation in the early 21st century.

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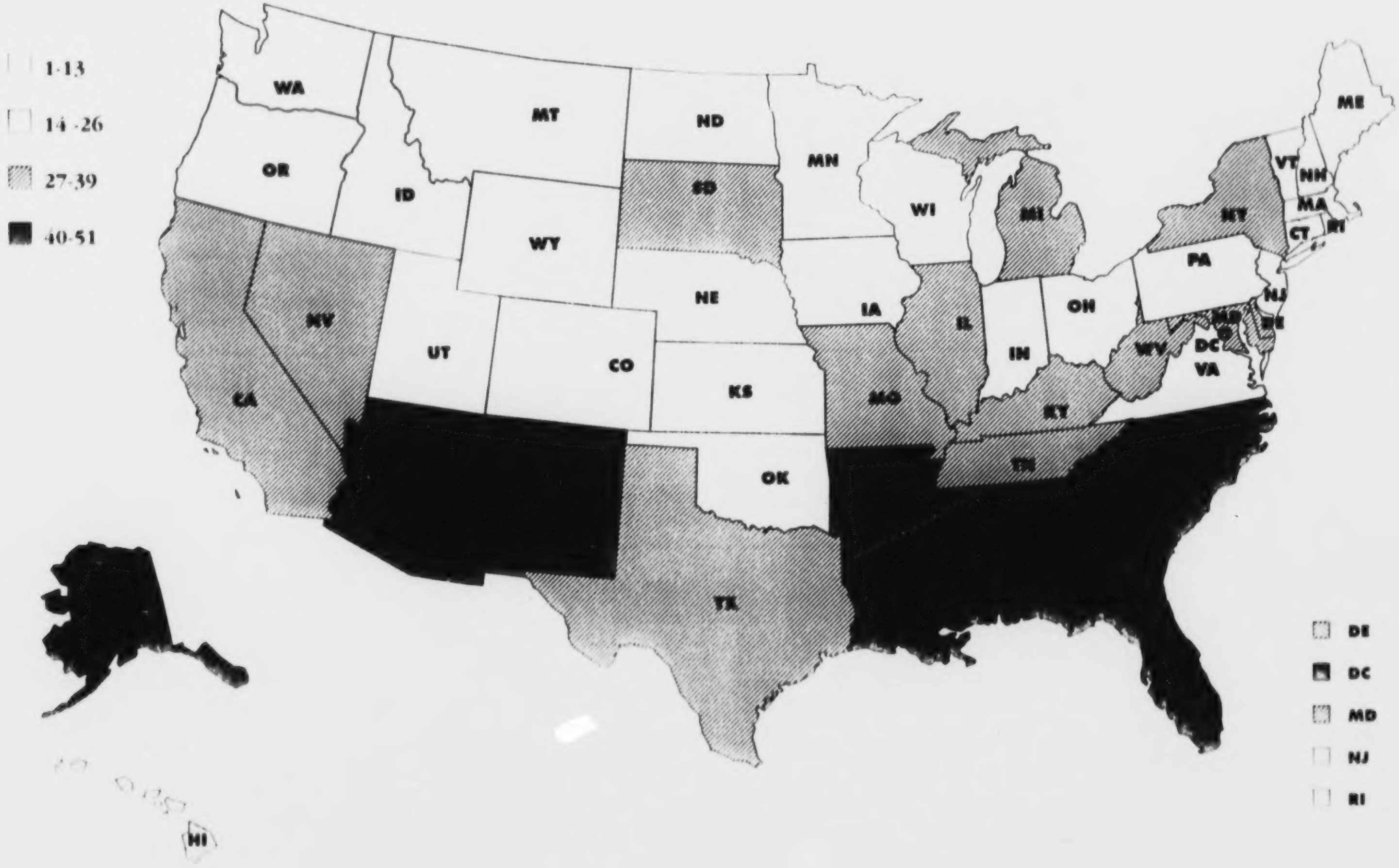

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Median income of families with children	$32,939	$34,084	$34,556	$34,705
	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90

Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth				
Top fifth	$69,380	$75,905	$77,545	$78,597
	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
Bottom fifth	$9,197	$8,808	$8,938	$9,044
	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90

AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	71.1%	68.0%	68.2%	67.1%
	1982	1989	1990	1991

Percent children without health insurance	20.3%	18.9%	19.1%	19.3%
	1980-84	1985-89	1986-90	1987-91

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Children living with their parents	58,447,848	57,461,020	**Percent children living with their parents**	91.7%	90.3%
Children living with other relatives	4,068,583	4,666,052	**Percent children living with other relatives**	6.4%	7.3%
Children living outside family	1,238,529	1,477,360	**Percent children living outside family**	1.9%	2.3%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Total population under age 18	63,754,960	63,604,432	**Percent population under age 18**	28.1%	25.6%
Total minority population under age 18	16,719,434	19,797,121	**Percent population under age 18 that is minority**	26.2%	31.1%
Whites under age 18	50,085,021	47,628,229	Percent population under age 18 that is White	78.6%	74.9%
African Americans under age 18	9,395,912	9,584,415	Percent population under age 18 that is African-American	14.7%	15.1%
Hispanics under age 18*	5,627,956	7,757,500	Percent population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	8.8%	12.2%
Asian Americans under age 18	1,044,601	2,083,387	Percent population under age 18 that is Asian-American	1.6%	3.3%
Native Americans under age 18	555,735	696,967	Percent population under age 18 that is Native American	0.9%	1.1%
Other minorities under age 18	2,673,691	3,611,434	Percent population under age 18 that is other minorities	4.2%	5.7%

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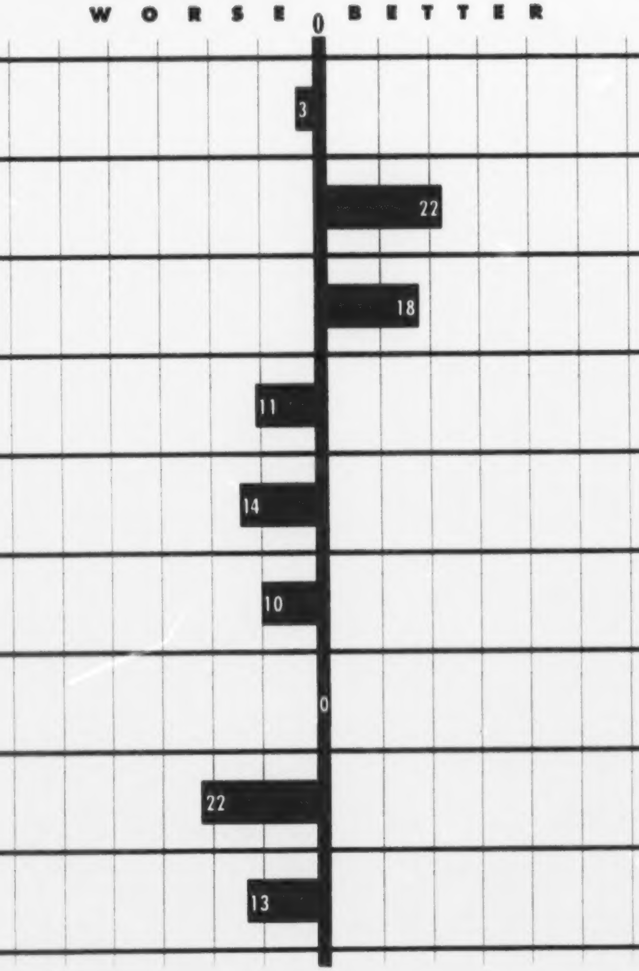
United States Profile

Percent change over time



Trend data

Indicators		Year	Data
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	6.8 7.0
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	12.6 9.8
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	39.5 32.4
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	62.4 69.3
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	7.5 8.6
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	142 156
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	69.7 69.6
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	16.0 19.5
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	21.3 24.1

Background information

Median income of White families with children	$34,967 1979-83	$36,447 1984-88	$36,990 1985-89	$37,128 1986-90
Median income of African-American families with children	$18,441 1979-83	$18,948 1984-88	$19,317 1985-89	$19,348 1986-90
Median income of Hispanic families with children*	$22,563 1979-83	$22,162 1984-88	$22,193 1985-89	$22,220 1986-90
Median income of White families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$69,568 1979-83	$76,045 1984-88	$77,768 1985-89	$78,757 1986-90
	$9,707 1979-83	$9,397 1984-88	$9,558 1985-89	$9,736 1986-90
Median income of African-American families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$64,864 1979-83	$72,679 1984-88	$73,523 1985-89	$74,912 1986-90
	$8,098 1979-83	$7,413 1984-88	$7,425 1985-89	$7,481 1986-90
Median income of Hispanic families with children in the top and bottom fifth*	$66,503 1979-83	$72,640 1984-88	$74,999 1985-89	$76,301 1986-90
	$9,367 1979-83	$8,899 1984-88	$9,025 1985-89	$9,196 1986-90
Percent White children without health insurance	19.1% 1980-84	17.7% 1985-89	17.9% 1986-90	18.1% 1987-91
Percent African-American children without health insurance	25.8% 1980-84	24.9% 1985-89	25.0% 1986-90	24.8% 1987-91
Percent Hispanic children without health insurance*	28.8% 1980-84	32.6% 1985-89	34.1% 1986-90	34.7% 1987-91

Total population under age 18	63,754,960 1980	63,604,432 1990	Percent population under age 18	28.1% 1980	25.6% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	16,719,434 1980	19,797,121 1990	Percent population under age 18 that is minority	26.2% 1980	31.1% 1990
African Americans under age 18	9,395,912 1980	9,584,415 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	56.2% 1980	48.4% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	5,627,956 1980	7,757,500 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	33.7% 1980	39.2% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	1,044,601 1980	2,083,387 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	6.0% 1980	10.5% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	555,735 1980	696,967 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	3.3% 1980	3.5% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	2,673,691 1980	3,611,434 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	16.0% 1980	18.2% 1990

*People of Hispanic origin can be of any race

United States Minority Profile

	Trend data: White			Trend data: African-American			Trend data: Hispanic*		
Indicators	Year	Data	Percent change over time	Year	Data	Percent change over time	Year	Data	Percent change over time
Percent low birth weight babies	1980	5.7	0% NO CHANGE	1980	12.5	6% WORSE	1980	N/A	N/A
	1989	5.7		1989	13.2		1989	6.2	
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980	11.0	25% BETTER	1980	21.4	17% BETTER	1980	N/A	N/A
	1989	8.2		1989	17.7		1989	8.5	
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980	38.8	24% BETTER	1980	55.1	12% BETTER	1980	N/A	N/A
	1989	29.4		1989	48.4		1989	N/A	
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984	64.3	4% WORSE	1984	53.0	62% WORSE	1984	N/A	N/A
	1989	66.8		1989	86.1		1989	N/A	
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980	4.5	31% WORSE	1980	22.7	7% BETTER	1980	N/A	N/A
	1989	5.9		1989	21.1		1989	10.1	
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985	N/A	N/A	1985	N/A	N/A	1985	N/A	N/A
	1989	N/A		1989	N/A		1989	N/A	
Percent graduating high school	1982	74.5	1% WORSE	1982	58.2	3% BETTER	1982	51.7	0% NO CHANGE
	1989	74.0		1989	59.8		1989	51.6	
Percent children in poverty	1979	11.0	33% WORSE	1979	37.8	15% WORSE	1979	29.1	29% WORSE
	1986-90	14.7		1986-90	43.6		1986-90	37.4	
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84	15.8	15% WORSE	1980-84	52.4	8% WORSE	1980-84	26.1	15% WORSE
	1987-91	18.1		1987-91	56.7		1987-91	30.0	

*People of Hispanic origin can be of any race

Median income of families with children

$26,495	$25,199	$25,846	$26,398
1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90

Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth

$68,843	$74,732	$75,180	$75,812
1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90

$8,855	$7,996	$7,762	$8,344
1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90

AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty

49.2%	44.4%	45.3%	45.5%
1982	1989	1990	1991

Percent children without health insurance

27.9%	25.4%	26.1%	27.0%
1980-84	1985-89	1986-90	1987-91

Children living with their parents

1,028,648	935,089
1980	1990

Percent children living with their parents

88.5%	88.3%
1980	1990

Children living with other relatives

116,253	105,933
1980	1990

Percent children living with other relatives

10.0%	10.0%
1980	1990

Children living outside family

17,347	17,766
1980	1990

Percent children living outside family

1.5%	1.7%
1980	1990

Total population under age 18

1,162,248	1,058,788
1980	1990

Percent population under age 18

29.8%	26.2%
1980	1990

Total minority population under age 18

382,780	361,909
1980	1990

Percent population under age 18 that is minority

32.9%	34.2%
1980	1990

African Americans under age 18	343,024 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	94.8% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	7,940 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	2.2% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	6,268 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	1.7% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	5,697 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	1.6% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	1,847 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	0.5% 1990

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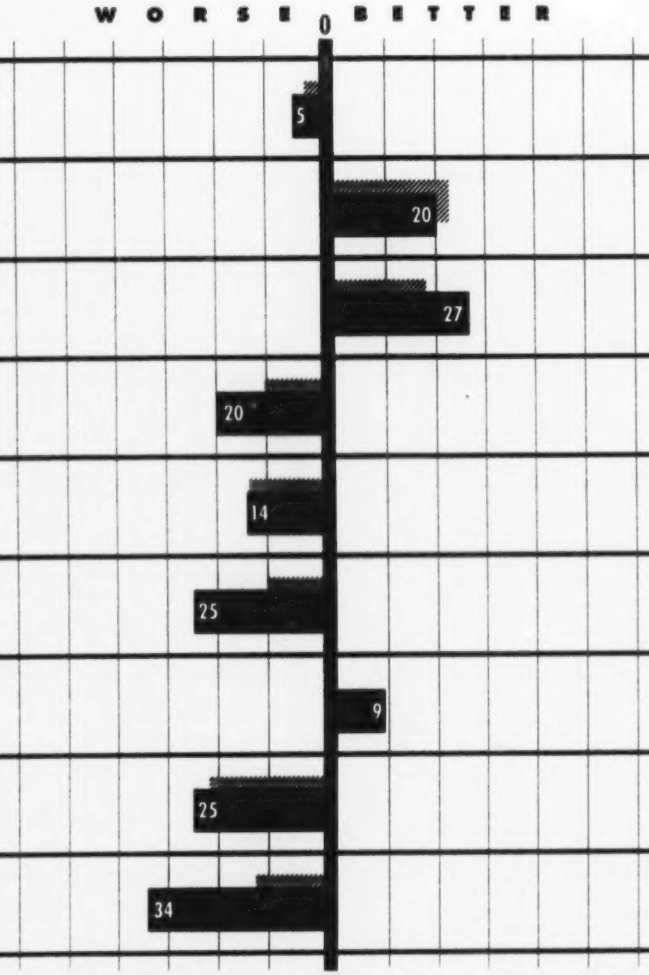
Alabama

National Composite Rank [46]

Percent change over time



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Indicators		Year	State	National	National rank *National rank is based on most recent available data*
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980	7.9	6.8	[45]
		1989	8.3	7.0	
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980	15.1	12.6	[48]
		1989	12.1	9.8	
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980	48.3	39.5	[34]
		1989	35.2	32.4	
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984	62.8	62.4	[33]
		1989	75.5	69.3	
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980	10.3	7.5	[47]
		1989	11.7	8.6	
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985	100	142	[21]
		1989	125	156	
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982	63.4	69.7	[35]
		1989	69.0	69.6	
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979	23.6	16.0	[49]
		1986-90	29.4	19.5	
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84	24.3	21.3	[50]
		1987-91	32.6	24.1	

Median income of families with children	$40,678 1979-83	$42,208 1984-88	$41,673 1985-89	$41,246 1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$76,729 1979-83	$82,998 1984-88	$83,636 1985-89	$85,291 1986-90
	$10,203 1979-83	$10,791 1984-88	$10,148 1985-89	$10,193 1986-90
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	84.0% 1982	91.6% 1989	92.4% 1990	99.2% 1991
Percent children without health insurance	21.2% 1980-84	18.3% 1985-89	19.3% 1986-90	20.6% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	120,406 1980	159,125 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	92.1% 1980	92.3% 1990
Children living with other relatives	6,671 1980	8,046 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	5.1% 1980	4.7% 1990
Children living outside family	3,668 1980	5,173 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	2.8% 1980	3.0% 1990

Total population under age 18	130,745 1980	172,344 1990	**Percent population under age 18**	32.5% 1980	31.3% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	38,639 1980	54,598 1990	**Percent population under age 18 that is minority**	29.6% 1980	31.7% 1990

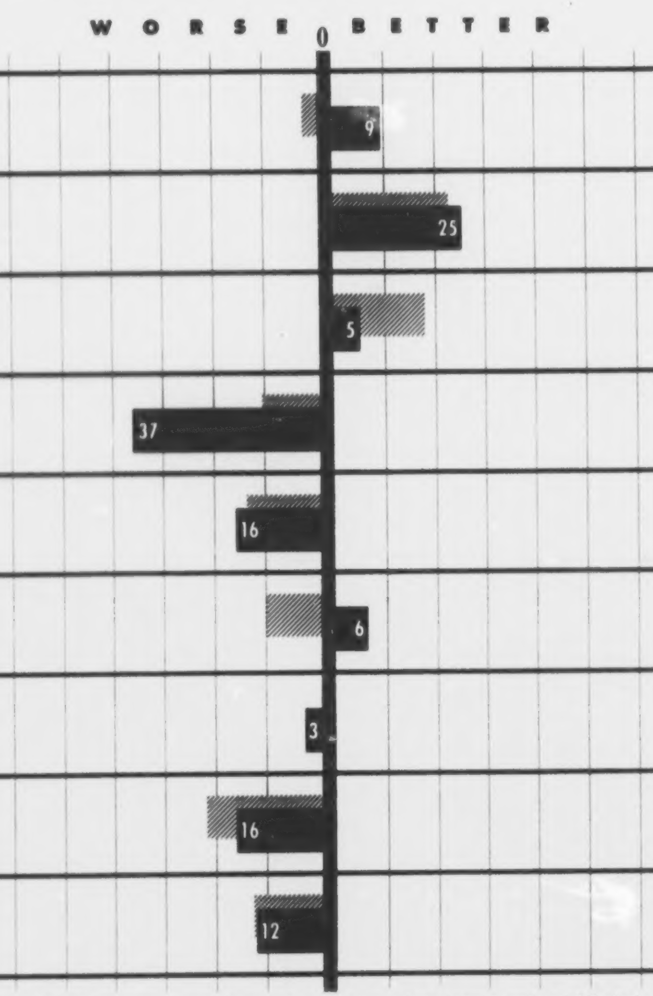
African Americans under age 18	7,898 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	14.5% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	6,755 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	12.4% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	6,237 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	11.4% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	34,753 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	63.7% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	2,272 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	4.2% 1990

People of Hispanic origin can be of any race

Alaska

National Composite Rank [42]

Percent change over time



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Trend data

National rank

National rank is based on most recent available data

Indicators		Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	5.4 4.9	6.8 7.0	[1]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	12.3 9.2	12.6 9.8	[20]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	48.2 45.9	39.5 32.4	[50]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	112.2 153.8	62.4 69.3	[50]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	5.4 6.3	7.5 8.6	[7]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	279 261	142 156	[46]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	64.3 62.2	69.7 69.6	[44]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	12.1 14.0	16.0 19.5	[13]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	18.7 21.0	21.3 24.1	[18]

Median income of families with children

1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
$32,768	$33,864	$33,424	$32,397

Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth

1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
$67,678	$79,027	$80,600	$81,940
$9,777	$9,470	$9,761	$10,014

AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty

1982	1989	1990	1991
59.8%	62.4%	62.9%	65.0%

Percent children without health insurance

1980-84	1985-89	1986-90	1987-91
29.3%	27.7%	27.1%	27.4%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Children living with their parents	715,024	880,381	**Percent children living with their parents**	90.3%	89.7%
Children living with other relatives	57,548	74,320	**Percent children living with other relatives**	7.3%	7.6%
Children living outside family	18,915	26,418	**Percent children living outside family**	2.4%	2.7%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Total population under age 18	791,487	981,119	**Percent population under age 18**	29.1%	26.8%
Total minority population under age 18	286,200	395,289	**Percent population under age 18 that is minority**	36.2%	40.3%

	1990		1990
African Americans under age 18	37,949	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	9.6%
Hispanics under age 18*	265,374	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	67.1%
Asian Americans under age 18	15,481	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	3.9%
Native Americans under age 18	85,498	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	21.6%
Other minorities under age 18	131,184	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	33.2%

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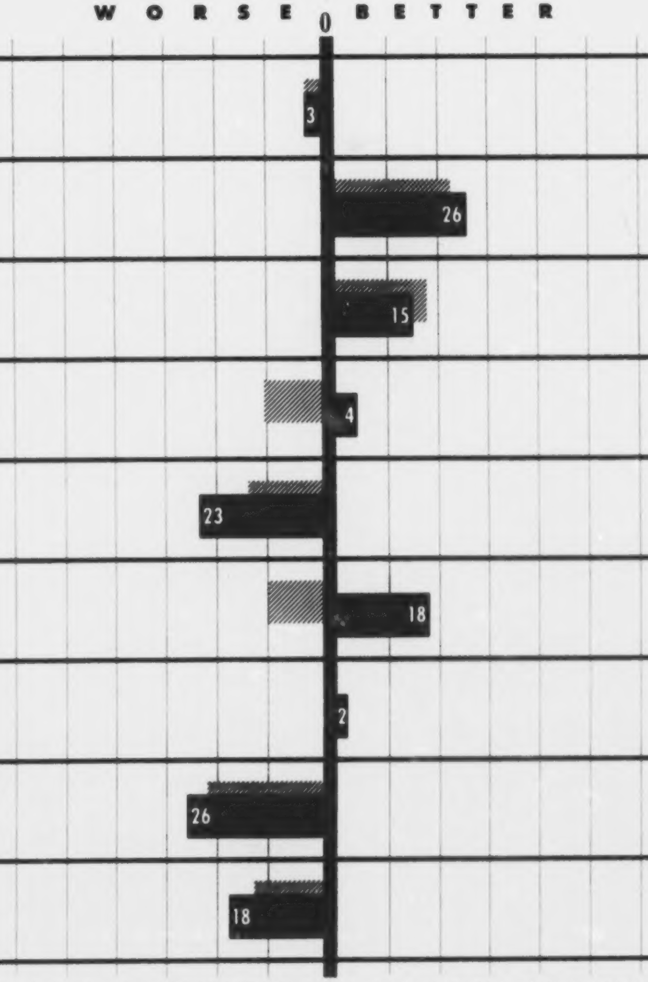
Arizona

National Composite Rank [40]

Percent change over time



Indicators	Years	Trend data: Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	6.1 6.3	6.8 7.0	[20]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	12.4 9.2	12.6 9.8	[20]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	46.2 39.1	39.5 32.4	[46]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	89.8 86.6	62.4 69.3	[43]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	7.7 9.5	7.5 8.6	[36]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	229 188	142 156	[37]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	63.4 64.9	69.7 69.6	[40]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	16.5 20.8	16.0 19.5	[36]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	19.7 23.2	21.3 24.1	[31]

National rank is based on most recent available data

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Median income of families with children	$25,571 1979-83	$24,833 1984-88	$25,467 1985-89	$25,717 1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$66,610 1979-83	$71,994 1984-88	$73,015 1985-89	$72,586 1986-90
	$8,870 1979-83	$8,500 1984-88	$8,868 1985-89	$9,085 1986-90
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	51.3% 1982	54.3% 1989	54.7% 1990	53.8% 1991
Percent children without health insurance	28.5% 1980-84	30.0% 1985-89	28.6% 1986-90	28.7% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	604,185 1980	557,454 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	90.0% 1980	89.7% 1990
Children living with other relatives	55,340 1980	51,723 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	8.2% 1980	8.3% 1990
Children living outside family	11,849 1980	11,954 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	1.8% 1980	1.9% 1990

Total population under age 18	671,374 1980	621,131 1990	**Percent population under age 18**	29.4% 1980	26.4% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	158,051 1980	151,071 1990	**Percent population under age 18 that is minority**	23.5% 1980	24.3% 1990

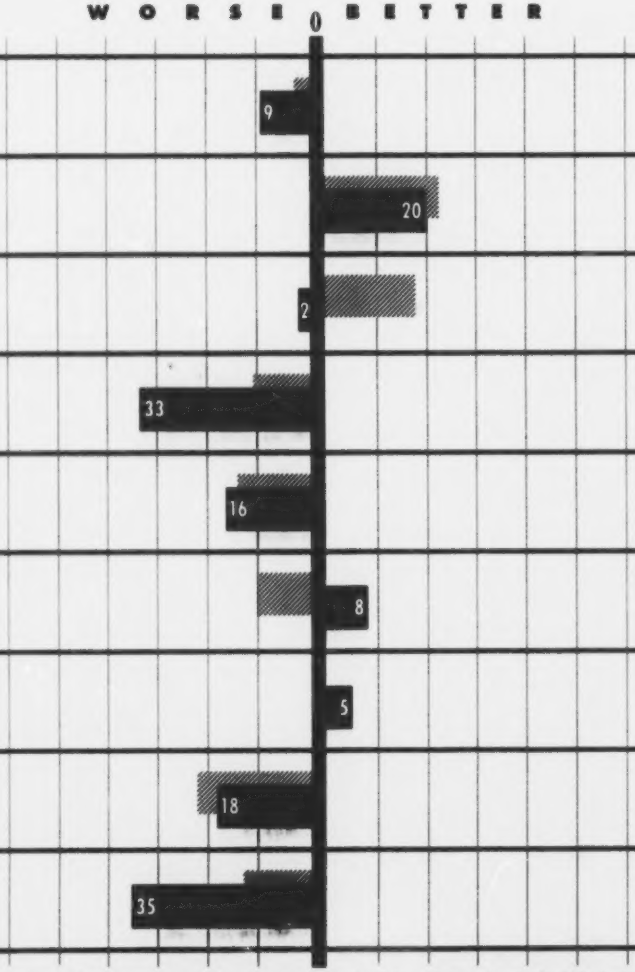
African Americans under age 18	136,410 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	90.3% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	7,445 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	4.9% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	4,015 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	2.7% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	3,693 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	2.4% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	2,480 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	1.6% 1990

*[illegible]

Arkansas

National Composite Rank [45]

Percent change over time



Trend data

National rank

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Indicators		Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980	7.6	6.8	[45]
		1989	8.3	7.0	
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980	12.7	12.6	[34]
		1989	10.2	9.8	
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980	44.1	39.5	[49]
		1989	45.0	32.4	
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984	71.1	62.4	[47]
		1989	94.7	69.3	
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980	9.6	7.5	[45]
		1989	11.1	8.6	
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985	105	142	[14]
		1989	97	156	
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982	73.4	69.7	[15]
		1989	77.0	69.6	
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979	23.4	16.0	[47]
		1986-90	27.6	19.5	
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84	20.3	21.3	[42]
		1987-91	27.4	24.1	

Patterned bars indicate national percent change over time. The national change for percent graduating high school is zero.

Median income of families with children	$34,428 1979-83	$36,212 1984-88	$36,709 1985-89	$36,874 1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$71,883 1979-83	$78,265 1984-88	$80,395 1985-89	$81,452 1986-90
	$9,934 1979-83	$10,362 1984-88	$10,472 1985-89	$10,520 1986-90
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	92.1% 1982	95.2% 1989	94.1% 1990	91.5% 1991
Percent children without health insurance	20.7% 1980-84	21.2% 1985-89	22.3% 1986-90	22.9% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	5,797,113 1980	6,818,899 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	90.7% 1980	88.0% 1990
Children living with other relatives	414,840 1980	673,563 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	6.5% 1980	8.7% 1990
Children living outside family	177,005 1980	258,263 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	2.8% 1980	3.3% 1990

Total population under age 18	6,388,958 1980	7,750,725 1990	**Percent population under age 18**	27.0% 1980	26.0% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	2,820,459 1980	4,191,516 1990	**Percent population under age 18 that is minority**	44.1% 1980	54.1% 1990

African Americans under age 18	664,725 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	15.9% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	2,733,063 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	65.2% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	810,052 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	19.3% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	73,986 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	1.8% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	1,450,363 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	34.6% 1990

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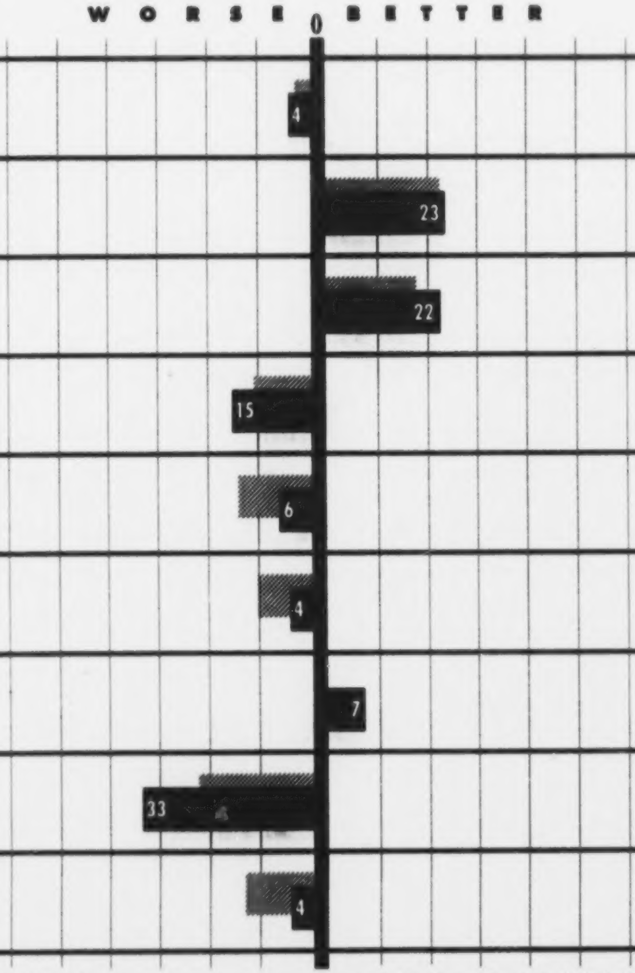
California

National Composite Rank [32]

Percent change over time



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Indicators		Trend data Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	5.9 6.1	6.8 7.0	[17]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	11.1 8.5	12.6 9.8	[12]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	39.0 30.5	39.5 32.4	[15]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	69.1 79.4	62.4 69.3	[38]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	7.0 7.5	7.5 8.6	[22]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	219 227	142 156	[44]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	60.1 64.4	69.7 69.6	[42]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	15.2 20.3	16.0 19.5	[35]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	22.1 22.9	21.3 24.1	[26]

National rank is based on most recent available data

	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
Median income of families with children	$37,300	$35,309	$35,151	$34,531
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$72,384	$75,679	$77,776	$79,527
	$9,494	$9,361	$9,046	$9,163

	1987	1989	1990	1991
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	72.7%	68.0%	68.2%	66.9%

	1980-84	1985-89	1986-90	1987-91
Percent children without health insurance	24.0%	18.0%	18.1%	18.0%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Children living with their parents	753,291	802,116	**Percent children living with their parents**	93.1%	93.1%
Children living with other relatives	36,752	39,555	**Percent children living with other relatives**	4.5%	4.6%
Children living outside family	18,770	19,595	**Percent children living outside family**	2.3%	2.3%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Total population under age 18	808,813	861,266	**Percent population under age 18**	28.0%	26.1%
Total minority population under age 18	188,338	218,637	**Percent population under age 18 that is minority**	23.3%	25.4%

	1990		1990
African Americans under age 18	42,544	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	19.5%
Hispanics under age 18*	152,671	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	69.8%
Asian Americans under age 18	18,165	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	8.3%
Native Americans under age 18	9,212	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	4.2%
Other minorities under age 18	62,261	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	28.5%

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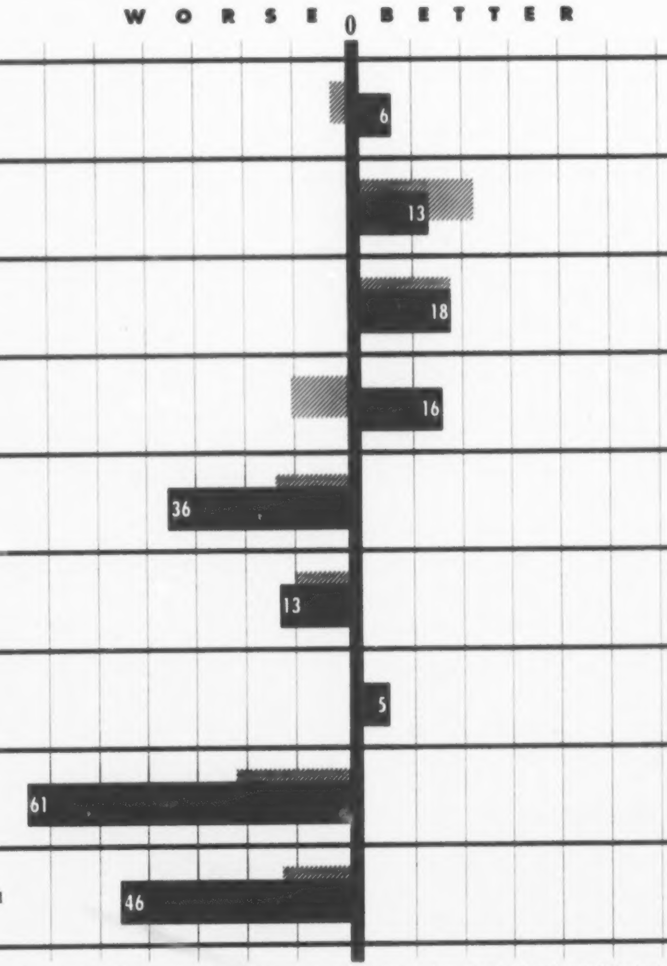
Colorado

National Composite Rank [21]

Percent change over time



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Indicators		Trend data Year	State	National	National rank (National rank is based on most recent available data)
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 1989	1980 1989	8.2 7.8	6.8 7.0	[41]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 1989	1980 1989	10.1 8.7	12.6 9.8	[15]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 1989	1980 1989	34.6 28.3	39.5 32.4	[7]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 1989	1984 1989	79.3 66.8	62.4 69.3	[22]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 1989	1980 1989	5.4 7.4	7.5 8.6	[19]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 1989	1985 1989	139 157	142 156	[28]
Percent graduating high school	1982 1989	1982 1989	70.9 74.4	69.7 69.6	[22]
Percent children in poverty	1979 1986-90	1979 1986-90	11.5 18.5	16.0 19.5	[30]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	17.9 26.1	21.3 24.1	[37]

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Median income of families with children

1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
$40,850	$45,073	$47,567	$47,748

Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth

1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
$73,107	$81,564	$82,227	$82,740
$8,299	$8,267	$8,036	$7,943

AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty

1982	1989	1990	1991
92.0%	90.5%	92.0%	89.6%

Percent children without health insurance

1980-84	1985-89	1986-90	1987-91
13.0%	10.3%	11.5%	11.7%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Children living with their parents	773,114	692,896	**Percent children living with their parents**	93.9%	92.4%
Children living with other relatives	36,205	41,048	**Percent children living with other relatives**	4.4%	5.5%
Children living outside family	13,600	15,637	**Percent children living outside family**	1.7%	2.1%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Total population under age 18	822,919	749,581	**Percent population under age 18**	26.5%	22.8%
Total minority population under age 18	144,781	175,144	**Percent population under age 18 that is minority**	17.6%	23.4%

	1990		1990
African Americans under age 18	85,523	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	48.8%
Hispanics under age 18*	77,341	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	44.2%
Asian Americans under age 18	14,828	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	8.5%
Native Americans under age 18	1,735	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	1.0%
Other minorities under age 18	37,891	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	21.6%

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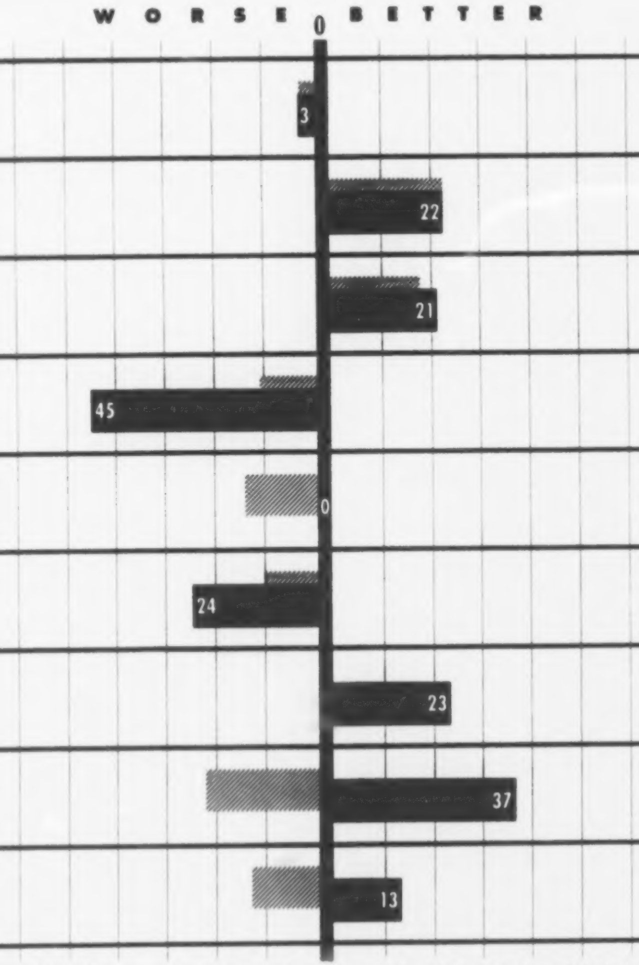
Connecticut

National Composite Rank [4]

Percent change over time



Indicators		Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	6.7 6.9	6.8 7.0	[25]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	11.2 8.8	12.6 9.8	[16]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	30.6 24.1	39.5 32.4	[2]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	41.0 59.4	62.4 69.3	[13]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	6.7 6.7	7.5 8.6	[9]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	132 164	142 156	[33]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	70.6 87.1	69.7 69.6	[3]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	11.4 7.2	16.0 19.5	[2]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	21.2 18.5	21.3 24.1	[10]

Trend data

National rank is based on most recent available data

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Median income of families with children	$35,014	$36,003	$36,404	$37,106
	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90

Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$68,194	$72,305	$72,475	$74,197
	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
	$9,301	$10,309	$9,763	$9,462
	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90

AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	66.0%	65.9%	66.2%	65.3%
	1982	1989	1990	1991

Percent children without health insurance	16.9%	17.0%	18.1%	18.4%
	1980-84	1985-89	1986-90	1987-91

Children living with their parents	151,127	146,643	**Percent children living with their parents**	90.7%	89.8%
	1980	1990		1980	1990

Children living with other relatives	12,083	13,182	**Percent children living with other relatives**	7.3%	8.1%
	1980	1990		1980	1990

Children living outside family	3,385	3,516	**Percent children living outside family**	2.0%	2.2%
	1980	1990		1980	1990

Total population under age 18	166,595	163,341	**Percent population under age 18**	28.0%	24.5%
	1980	1990		1980	1990

Total minority population under age 18	41,219	43,759	**Percent population under age 18 that is minority**	24.7%	26.8%
	1980	1990		1980	1990

African Americans under age 18	35,512 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	81.2% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	5,589 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	12.8% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	2,613 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	6.0% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	498 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	1.1% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	2,845 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	6.5% 1990

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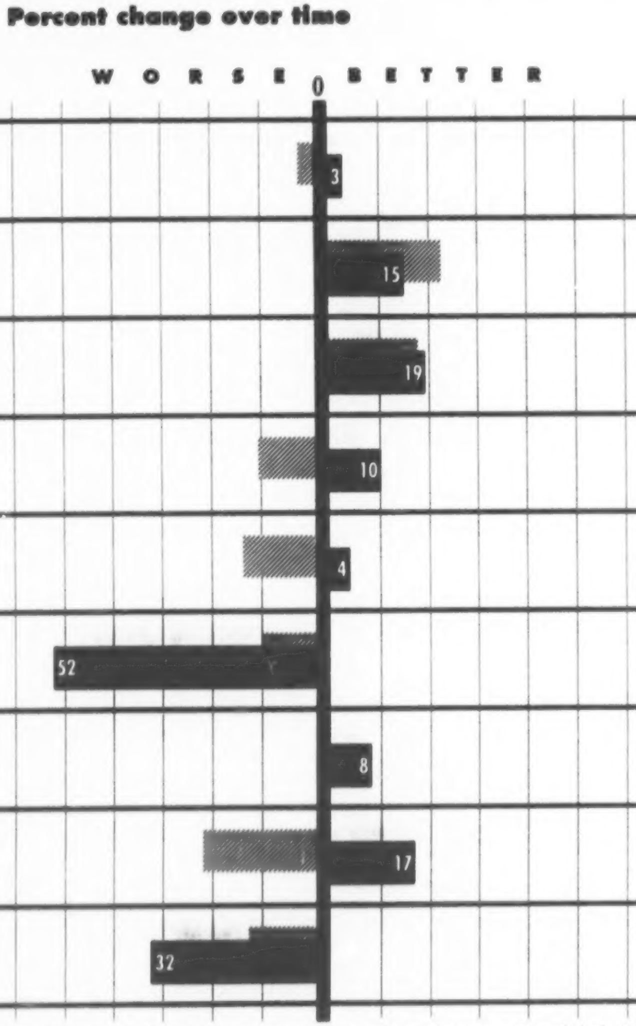
Delaware

National Composite Rank [28]



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Indicators		Year	State	National	National rank National rank is based on most recent available data
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	7.7 7.5	6.8 7.0	[36]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	13.9 11.8	12.6 9.8	[47]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	43.0 34.8	39.5 32.4	[33]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	47.1 42.6	62.4 69.3	[2]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	10.2 9.8	7.5 8.6	[39]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	81 123	142 156	[20]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	68.2 73.4	69.7 69.6	[25]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	15.6 12.9	16.0 19.5	[7]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	19.5 25.7	21.3 24.1	[36]

Median income of families with children	$25,302	$25,766	$27,285	$28,331
	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90

Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$76,510	$90,242	$90,918	$92,409
	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
	$8,779	$7,445	$7,701	$7,549
	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90

AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	70.9%	72.6%	72.6%	71.0%
	1982	1989	1990	1991

Percent children without health insurance	28.1%	25.3%	24.8%	26.0%
	1980-84	1985-89	1986-90	1987-91

Children living with their parents	116,093	84,598	**Percent children living with their parents**	80.9%	72.2%
	1980	1990		1980	1990

Children living with other relatives	22,900	26,965	**Percent children living with other relatives**	16.0%	23.0%
	1980	1990		1980	1990

Children living outside family	4,498	5,529	**Percent children living outside family**	3.1%	4.7%
	1980	1990		1980	1990

Total population under age 18	143,491	117,092	Percent population under age 18	22.5%	19.3%
	1980	1990		1980	1990

Total minority population under age 18	128,024	102,090	Percent population under age 18 that is minority	89.2%	87.2%
	1980	1990		1980	1990

African Americans under age 18	93,978 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	92.1% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	7,254 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	7.1% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	1,568 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	1.5% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	241 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	0.2% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	3,833 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	3.8% 1990

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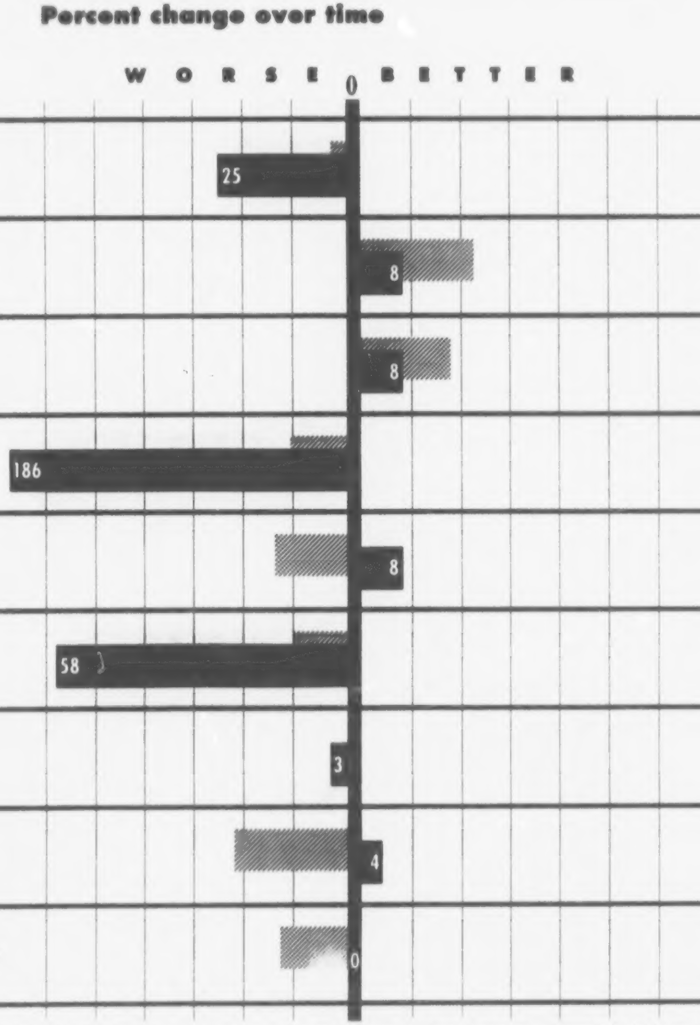
District of Columbia

National Composite Rank [51]



Indicators		Percent change over time	Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	Worse 25	1980	12.7	6.8	[51]
			1989	15.8	7.0	
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	Better 8	1980	25.0	12.6	[51]
			1989	22.9	9.8	
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	Better 8	1980	44.5	39.5	[48]
			1989	40.9	32.4	
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	Worse 186	1984	82.9	62.4	[51]
			1989	237.1	69.3	
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	Better 8	1980	18.7	7.5	[51]
			1989	17.2	8.6	
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	Worse 58	1985	295	142	[51]
			1989	467	156	
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	Worse 3	1982	56.9	69.7	[51]
			1989	55.3	69.6	
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	Better 4	1979	27.0	16.0	[44]
			1986-90	25.9	19.5	
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	0	1980-84	55.0	21.3	[51]
			1987-91	54.9	24.1	

Trend data

National rank is based on most recent available data

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Median income of families with children	$28,720 1979-83	$30,084 1984-88	$30,741 1985-89	$30,949 1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$70,979 1979-83	$77,466 1984-88	$77,871 1985-89	$77,823 1986-90
	$9,571 1979-83	$9,372 1984-88	$9,544 1985-89	$9,706 1986-90
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	60.1% 1982	61.4% 1989	62.4% 1990	61.4% 1991
Percent children without health insurance	28.9% 1980-84	28.0% 1985-89	27.2% 1986-90	26.8% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	2,100,544 1980	2,527,892 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	89.0% 1980	88.2% 1990
Children living with other relatives	201,232 1980	257,192 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	8.5% 1980	9.0% 1990
Children living outside family	57,860 1980	81,153 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	2.5% 1980	2.8% 1990

Total population under age 18	2,359,636 1980	2,866,237 1990	**Percent population under age 18**	24.2% 1980	22.2% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	754,262 1980	1,037,671 1990	**Percent population under age 18 that is minority**	32.0% 1980	36.2% 1990

African Americans under age 18	608,978 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	58.7% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	392,689 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	37.8% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	43,350 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	4.2% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	9,555 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	0.9% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	74,224 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	7.2% 1990

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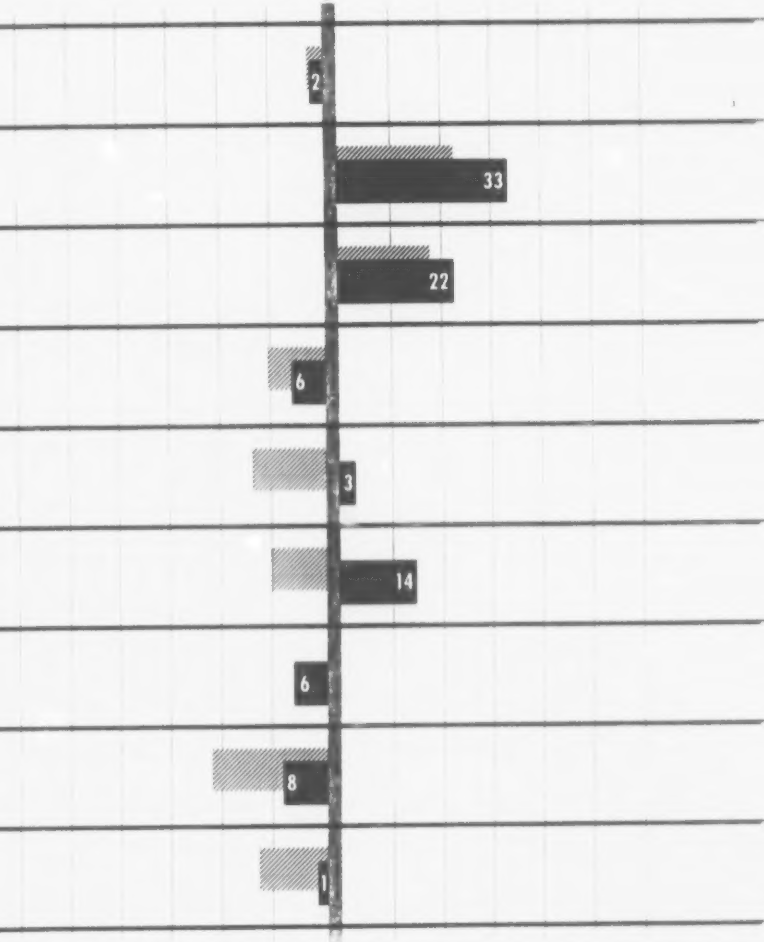
Florida

National Composite Rank [43]

Percent change over time



Indicators	Years	Trend data: Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	7.6 7.7	6.8 7.0	[39]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	14.6 9.8	12.6 9.8	[30]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	48.3 37.8	39.5 32.4	[41]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	70.4 74.4	62.4 69.3	[29]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	9.9 9.6	7.5 8.6	[38]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	169 146	142 156	[25]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	60.2 56.5	69.7 69.6	[50]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	18.5 19.9	16.0 19.5	[33]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	28.6 28.8	21.3 24.1	[45]

National rank is based on most recent available data

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Median income of families with children	$31,113 1979-83	$32,377 1984-88	$33,282 1985-89	$33,637 1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$69,882 1979-83	$75,305 1984-88	$76,081 1985-89	$77,083 1986-90
	$9,770 1979-83	$8,291 1984-88	$8,308 1985-89	$8,065 1986-90
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	58.5% 1982	60.3% 1989	60.9% 1990	60.4% 1991
Percent children without health insurance	24.6% 1980-84	21.3% 1985-89	21.0% 1986-90	19.9% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	1,459,322 1980	1,526,155 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	88.7% 1980	88.4% 1990
Children living with other relatives	157,611 1980	164,758 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	9.6% 1980	9.5% 1990
Children living outside family	29,197 1980	36,390 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	1.8% 1980	2.1% 1990

Total population under age 18	1,646,130 1980	1,727,303 1990	**Percent population under age 18**	30.1% 1980	26.7% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	565,119 1980	634,152 1990	**Percent population under age 18 that is minority**	34.3% 1980	36.7% 1990

African Americans under age 18	578,423 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	91.2% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	32,704 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	5.2% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	22,553 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	3.6% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	3,442 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	0.5% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	13,151 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	2.1% 1990

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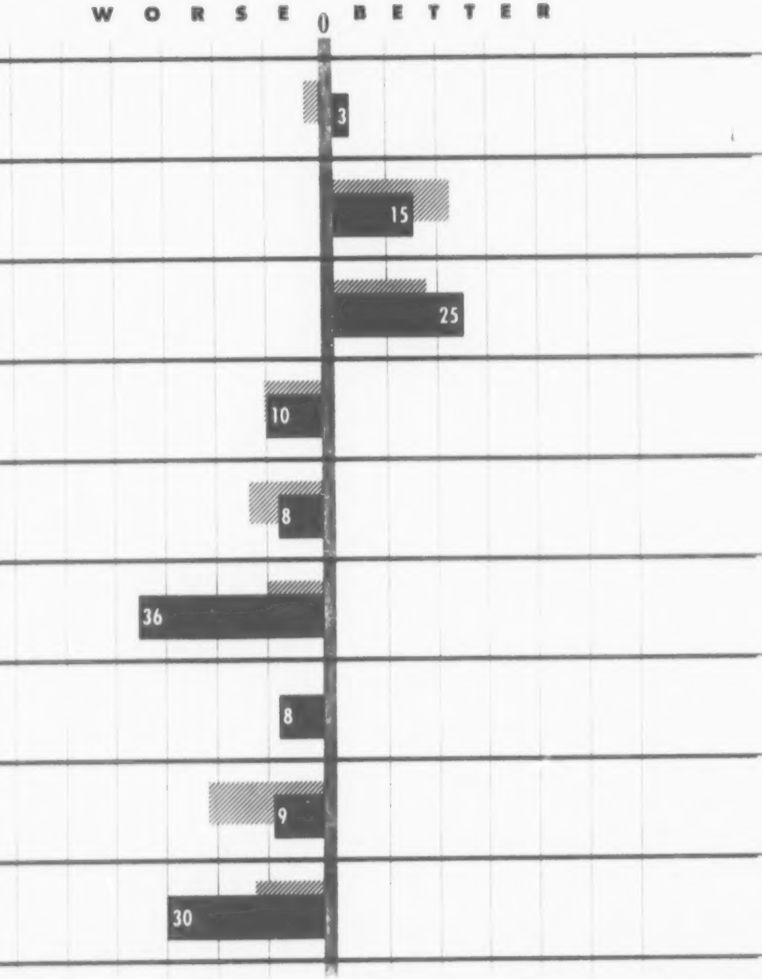
Georgia

National Composite Rank [47]

Percent change over time



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Trend data

National rank

National rank is based on most recent available data

Indicators		Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	8.6 8.3	6.8 7.0	[45]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	14.5 12.3	12.6 9.8	[49]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	48.0 35.9	39.5 32.4	[36]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	73.4 80.6	62.4 69.3	[39]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	10.5 11.4	7.5 8.6	[46]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	117 159	142 156	[31]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	65.0 59.8	69.7 69.6	[48]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	21.1 23.0	16.0 19.5	[42]
Percent children in single parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	22.9 29.7	21.3 24.1	[47]

Median income of families with children	$38,695 1979-83	$39,607 1984-88	$39,489 1985-89	$40,695 1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$67,497 1979-83	$76,494 1984-88	$78,557 1985-89	$80,970 1986-90
	$9,819 1979-83	$9,500 1984-88	$9,020 1985-89	$9,108 1986-90
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	88.2% 1982	90.0% 1989	95.3% 1990	98.7% 1991
Percent children without health insurance	15.7% 1980-84	13.5% 1985-89	14.1% 1986-90	14.4% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	243,671 1980	236,257 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	88.4% 1980	84.3% 1990
Children living with other relatives	25,918 1980	36,462 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	9.4% 1980	13.0% 1990
Children living outside family	5,994 1980	7,407 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	2.2% 1980	2.6% 1990

Total population under age 18	275,583 1980	280,126 1990	Percent population under age 18	28.6% 1980	25.3% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	201,931 1980	203,062 1990	Percent population under age 18 that is minority	73.3% 1980	72.5% 1990

African Americans under age 18	8,350 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	4.1% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	31,190 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	15.4% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	177,996 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	87.7% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	1,578 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	0.8% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	7,111 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	3.5% 1990

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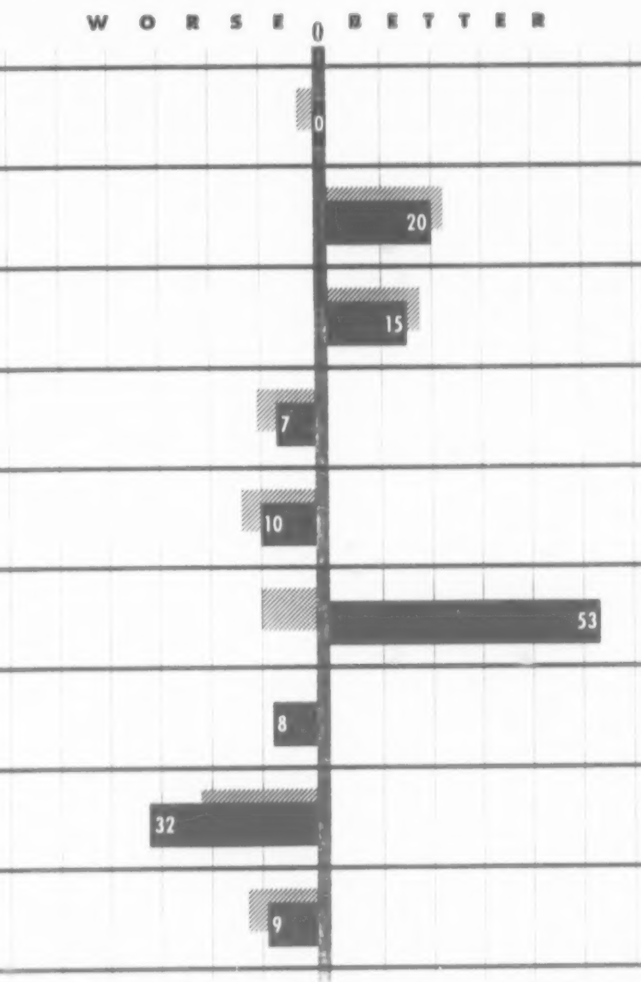
Hawaii

National Composite Rank [13]

Percent change over time



Indicators		Trend data Year	State	National	National rank (National rank is based on most recent available data)
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	7.1 7.1	6.8 7.0	[30]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	10.3 8.3	12.6 9.8	[10]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	34.5 29.5	39.5 32.4	[9]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	42.5 45.5	62.4 69.3	[6]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	6.4 7.1	7.5 8.6	[13]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	70 33	142 156	[1]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	74.9 68.9	69.7 69.6	[36]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	13.0 17.2	16.0 19.5	[24]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	18.3 19.9	21.3 24.1	[13]

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Median income of families with children	$30,265 1979-83	$28,938 1984-88	$29,324 1985-89	$29,591 1986-90

Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$69,398 1979-83	$70,404 1984-88	$73,009 1985-89	$73,963 1986-90
	$9,555 1979-83	$9,065 1984-88	$9,841 1985-89	$10,427 1986-90

AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	69.0% 1982	62.7% 1989	63.1% 1990	62.2% 1991

Percent children without health insurance	21.3% 1980-84	20.6% 1985-89	21.1% 1986-90	21.1% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	290,233 1980	291,749 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	94.6% 1980	94.6% 1990
Children living with other relatives	10,761 1980	10,487 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	3.5% 1980	3.4% 1990
Children living outside family	5,671 1980	6,169 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	1.8% 1980	2.0% 1990

Total population under age 18	306,665 1980	308,405 1990	**Percent population under age 18**	32.5% 1980	30.6% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	24,325 1980	31,161 1990	**Percent population under age 18 that is minority**	7.9% 1980	10.1% 1990

African Americans under age 18	1,238 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	4.0% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	22,473 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	72.1% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	3,002 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	9.6% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	5,122 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	16.4% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	12,415 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	39.8% 1990

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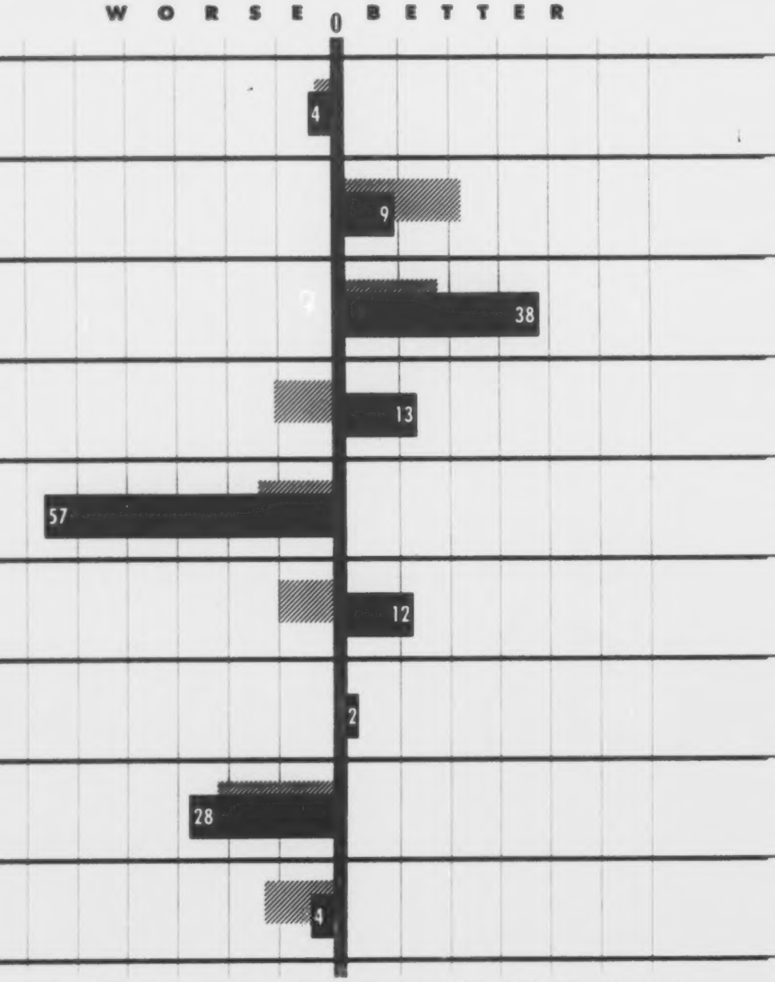
Idaho

National Composite Rank [17]

Percent change over time



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Trend data

National rank

National rank is based on most recent available data

Indicators		Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	5.3 5.5	6.8 7.0	[10]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	10.7 9.7	12.6 9.8	[29]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	61.2 38.2	39.5 32.4	[42]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	91.3 79.0	62.4 69.3	[37]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	3.7 5.8	7.5 8.6	[5]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	104 92	142 156	[11]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	74.4 76.2	69.7 69.6	[18]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	14.3 18.3	16.0 19.5	[29]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	14.2 14.7	21.3 24.1	[2]

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Median income of families with children	$36,619 1979-83	$35,809 1984-88	$36,521 1985-89	$36,730 1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$69,702 1979-83	$77,907 1984-88	$79,542 1985-89	$81,268 1986-90
	$8,081 1979-83	$7,264 1984-88	$7,288 1985-89	$7,296 1986-90
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	71.1% 1982	65.3% 1989	67.4% 1990	66.2% 1991
Percent children without health insurance	16.6% 1980-84	14.4% 1985-89	13.8% 1986-90	14.3% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	2,999,770 1980	2,669,689 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	92.5% 1980	90.6% 1990
Children living with other relatives	191,527 1980	219,144 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	5.9% 1980	7.4% 1990
Children living outside family	51,740 1980	57,533 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	1.6% 1980	2.0% 1990

Total population under age 18	3,243,037 1980	2,946,366 1990	Percent population under age 18	28.4% 1980	25.8% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	938,703 1980	963,846 1990	Percent population under age 18 that is minority	28.9% 1980	32.7% 1990

African Americans under age 18	553,164 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	57.4% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	331,052 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	34.3% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	81,354 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	8.4% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	6,182 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	0.6% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	180,183 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	18.7% 1990

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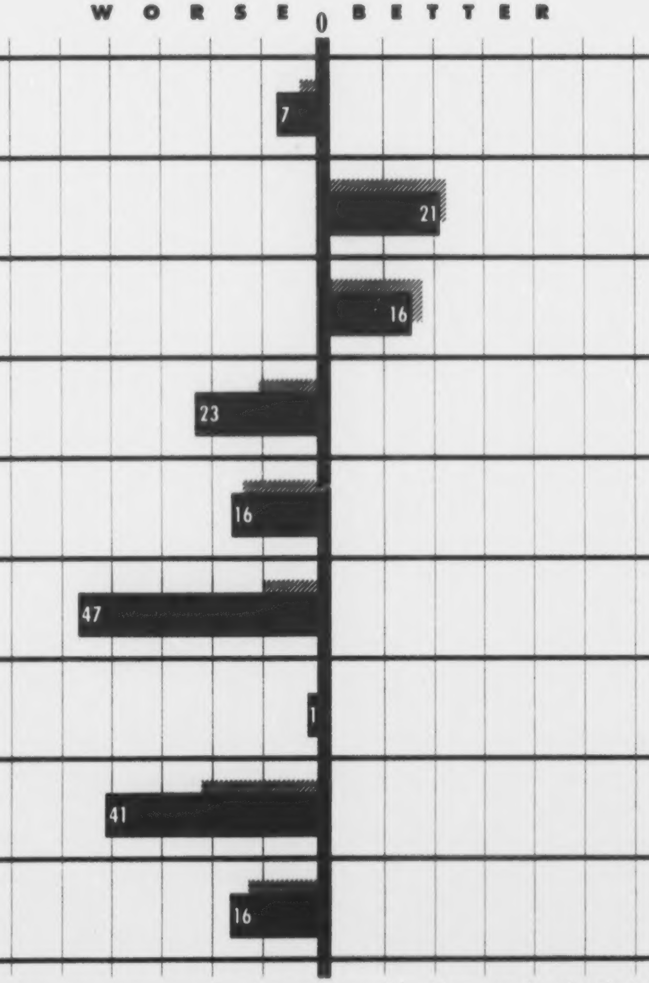
Illinois

National Composite Rank [35]

Percent change over time



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Indicators	Years	Trend data: Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	7.2 7.7	6.8 7.0	[39]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	14.8 11.7	12.6 9.8	[46]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	40.6 34.1	39.5 32.4	[30]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	53.2 65.6	62.4 69.3	[20]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	9.1 10.6	7.5 8.6	[42]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	57 84	142 156	[6]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	76.1 75.5	69.7 69.6	[19]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	14.9 21.0	16.0 19.5	[37]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	23.5 27.2	21.3 24.1	[41]

National rank is based on most recent available data

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	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
Median income of families with children	$31,433	$32,595	$32,034	$31,811

	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$65,320	$69,419	$72,186	$73,840
	$9,466	$9,735	$10,062	$10,057

	1987	1989	1990	1991
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	66.3%	62.0%	62.4%	61.4%

	1980-84	1985-89	1986-90	1987-91
Percent children without health insurance	19.9%	17.9%	18.6%	17.8%

	1980	1990
Children living with their parents	1,497,541	1,339,888
Percent children living with their parents	92.5%	92.0%
Children living with other relatives	92,343	83,040
Percent children living with other relatives	5.7%	5.7%
Children living outside family	28,434	33,036
Percent children living outside family	1.8%	2.3%

	1980	1990
Total population under age 18	1,618,318	1,455,964
Percent population under age 18	29.5%	26.3%
Total minority population under age 18	200,421	194,193
Percent population under age 18 that is minority	12.4%	13.3%

	1990
African Americans under age 18	143,785
Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	74.0%
Hispanics under age 18*	36,618
Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	18.9%
Asian Americans under age 18	10,212
Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	5.3%
Native Americans under age 18	3,661
Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	1.9%
Other minorities under age 18	16,244
Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	8.4%

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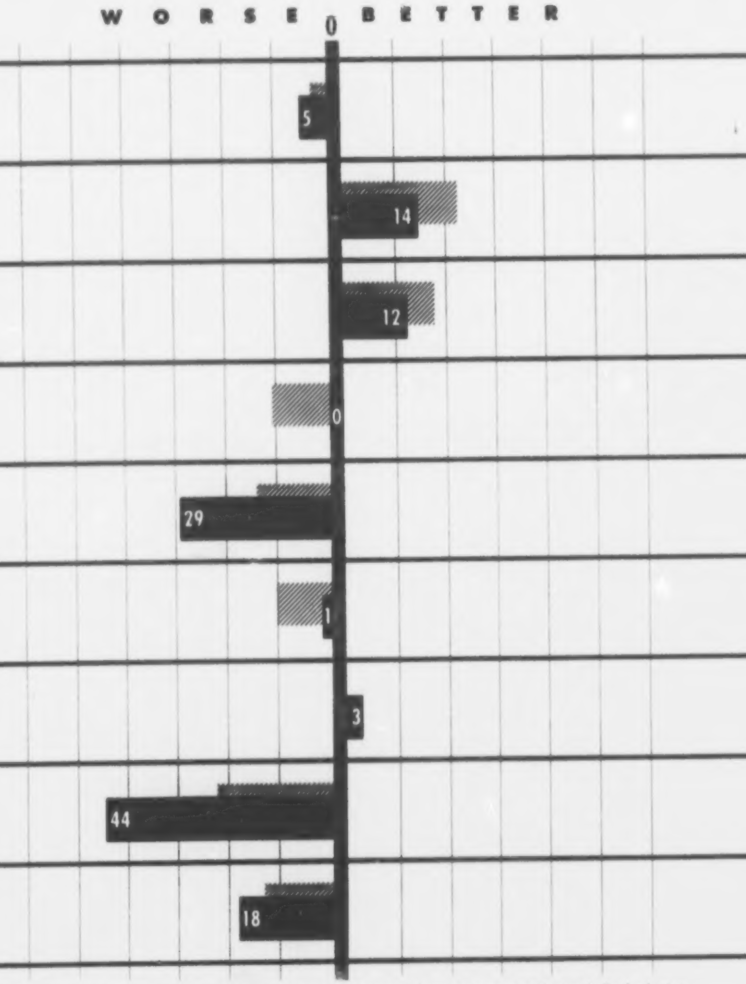
Indiana

National Composite Rank [26]

Percent change over time



Indicators		Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	6.3 6.6	6.8 7.0	[22]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	11.9 10.2	12.6 9.8	[34]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	37.9 33.4	39.5 32.4	[29]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	57.1 57.3	62.4 69.3	[11]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	7.0 9.1	7.5 8.6	[34]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	201 204	142 156	[41]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	71.7 74.1	69.7 69.6	[23]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	11.9 17.1	16.0 19.5	[23]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	19.4 23.0	21.3 24.1	[28]

Trend data — **National rank**: *National rank is based on most recent available data*

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	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
Median income of families with children	$33,758	$31,079	$31,935	$32,931
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$67,664	$70,045	$69,981	$70,412
	$8,658	$8,833	$9,180	$9,278

	1982	1989	1990	1991
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	75.7%	71.1%	72.3%	70.9%

	1980-84	1985-89	1986-90	1987-91
Percent children without health insurance	19.3%	12.3%	11.2%	10.2%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Children living with their parents	785,953	682,157	**Percent children living with their parents**	95.2%	94.9%
Children living with other relatives	26,877	21,696	**Percent children living with other relatives**	3.3%	3.0%
Children living outside family	13,043	15,027	**Percent children living outside family**	1.6%	2.1%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Total population under age 18	825,873	718,880	**Percent population under age 18**	28.3%	25.9%
Total minority population under age 18	36,057	41,990	**Percent population under age 18 that is minority**	4.4%	5.8%

	1990		1990
African Americans under age 18	17,639	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	42.0%
Hispanics under age 18*	12,859	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	30.6%
Asian Americans under age 18	8,709	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	20.7%
Native Americans under age 18	2,780	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	6.6%
Other minorities under age 18	5,295	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	12.6%

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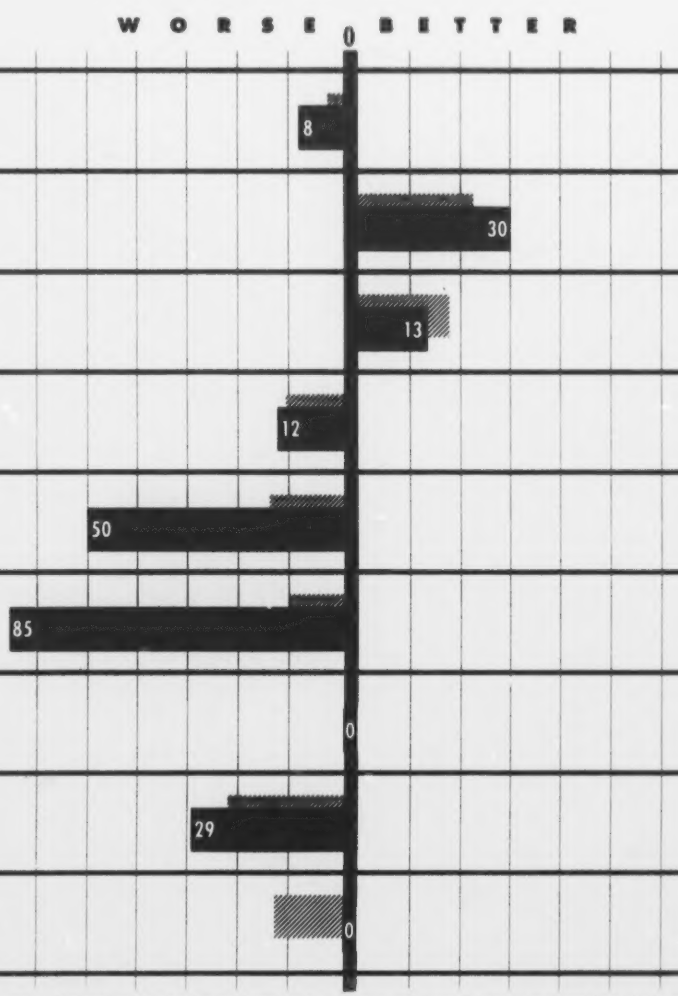
Iowa

National Composite Rank [15]

Percent change over time



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Trend data

National rank

Indicators	Years	Year	State	National	National rank *National rank is based on most recent available data*
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	5.0 5.4	6.8 7.0	[7]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	11.8 8.3	12.6 9.8	[10]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	35.4 30.9	39.5 32.4	[17]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	64.6 72.5	62.4 69.3	[27]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	4.8 7.2	7.5 8.6	[17]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	152 281	142 156	[47]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	84.1 83.7	69.7 69.6	[7]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	11.5 14.9	16.0 19.5	[18]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	14.9 15.0	21.3 24.1	[4]

Median income of families with children				
	$33,054	$36,220	$35,860	$35,430
	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90

Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth				
	$66,304	$72,254	$74,655	$75,840
	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
	$9,343	$9,390	$9,438	$9,560
	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90

AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty				
	74.9%	75.6%	72.0%	72.2%
	1982	1989	1990	1991

Percent children without health insurance				
	19.4%	12.9%	12.8%	13.7%
	1980-84	1985-89	1986-90	1987-91

Children living with their parents	608,223 1980	621,683 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	93.7% 1980	94.0% 1990
Children living with other relatives	28,928 1980	26,800 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	4.5% 1980	4.1% 1990
Children living outside family	11,884 1980	13,131 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	1.8% 1980	2.0% 1990

Total population under age 18	649,035 1980	661,614 1990	Percent population under age 18	27.5% 1980	26.7% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	82,635 1980	101,501 1990	Percent population under age 18 that is minority	12.7% 1980	15.3% 1990

African Americans under age 18	48,626 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	47.9% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	36,731 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	36.2% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	10,171 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	10.0% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	7,276 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	7.2% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	19,041 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	18.8% 1990

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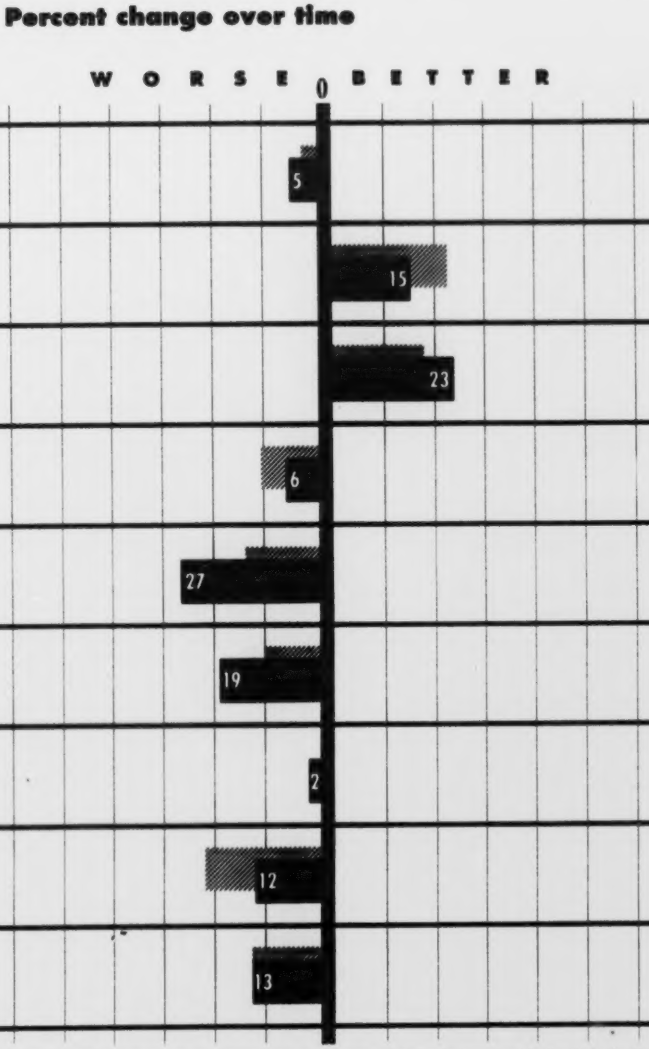
Kansas

National Composite Rank [16]

Percent change over time



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Indicators		Year	State	National	National rank (National rank is based on most recent available data)
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980	5.8	6.8	[17]
		1989	6.1	7.0	
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980	10.4	12.6	[16]
		1989	8.8	9.8	
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980	40.6	39.5	[19]
		1989	31.2	32.4	
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984	62.8	62.4	[21]
		1989	66.7	69.3	
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980	5.6	7.5	[13]
		1989	7.1	8.6	
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985	202	142	[45]
		1989	240	156	
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982	80.7	69.7	[11]
		1989	79.0	69.6	
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979	11.4	16.0	[7]
		1986-90	12.9	19.5	
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84	16.2	21.3	[9]
		1987-91	18.3	24.1	

Median income of families with children

1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
$30,843	$26,983	$27,989	$28,739

Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth

1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
$68,457	$74,117	$73,926	$74,087
$9,371	$9,380	$9,245	$9,334

AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty

1987	1989	1990	1991
59.1%	57.8%	58.3%	57.2%

Percent children without health insurance

1980-84	1985-89	1986-90	1987-91
21.4%	23.7%	23.1%	22.9%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Children living with their parents	986,916	873,916	**Percent children living with their parents**	91.2%	91.6%
Children living with other relatives	73,708	61,581	**Percent children living with other relatives**	6.8%	6.5%
Children living outside family	22,106	18,597	**Percent children living outside family**	2.0%	1.9%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Total population under age 18	1,082,730	954,094	Percent population under age 18	29.6%	25.9%
Total minority population under age 18	101,468	96,935	Percent population under age 18 that is minority	9.4%	10.2%

	1990		1990
African Americans under age 18	82,955	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	85.6%
Hispanics under age 18*	7,103	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	7.3%
Asian Americans under age 18	5,357	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	5.5%
Native Americans under age 18	1,432	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	1.5%
Other minorities under age 18	2,890	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	3.0%

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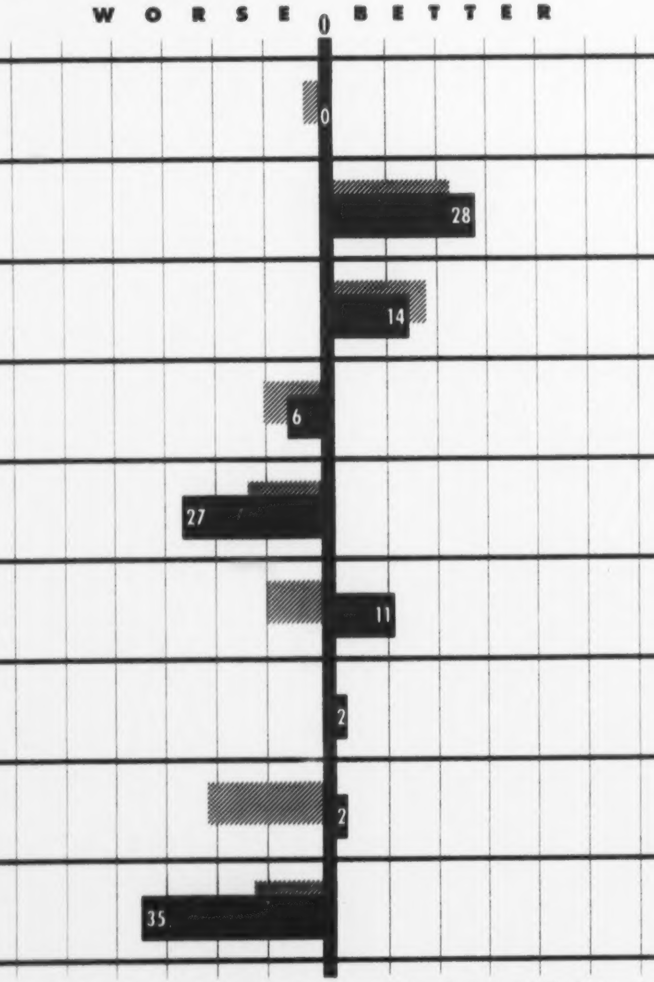
Kentucky

National Composite Rank [27]

Percent change over time



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Indicators		Trend data Year	State	National	National rank (National rank is based on most recent available data)
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	6.8 6.8	6.8 7.0	[24]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	12.9 9.2	12.6 9.8	[20]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	37.8 32.5	39.5 32.4	[26]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	69.1 73.2	62.4 69.3	[28]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	6.9 8.7	7.5 8.6	[31]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	98 87	142 156	[7]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	65.9 67.1	69.7 69.6	[38]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	21.6 21.2	16.0 19.5	[38]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	17.6 23.7	21.3 24.1	[32]

Median income of families with children

1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
$29,566	$30,088	$30,447	$29,553

Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth

1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
$70,368	$74,600	$75,861	$79,286
$8,535	$7,906	$7,446	$6,986

AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty

1982	1989	1990	1991
58.9%	53.0%	53.5%	52.6%

Percent children without health insurance

1980-84	1985-89	1986-90	1987-91
25.8%	26.4%	26.0%	26.4%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Children living with their parents	1,187,661	1,075,953	**Percent children living with their parents**	89.3%	87.7%
Children living with other relatives	118,437	127,530	**Percent children living with other relatives**	8.9%	10.4%
Children living outside family	24,370	23,786	**Percent children living outside family**	1.8%	1.9%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Total population under age 18	1,330,468	1,227,269	Percent population under age 18	31.6%	29.1%
Total minority population under age 18	515,359	510,024	Percent population under age 18 that is minority	38.7%	41.6%

	1990		1990
African Americans under age 18	465,343	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	91.2%
Hispanics under age 18*	26,802	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	5.3%
Asian Americans under age 18	14,240	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	2.8%
Native Americans under age 18	6,547	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	1.3%
Other minorities under age 18	6,373	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	1.2%

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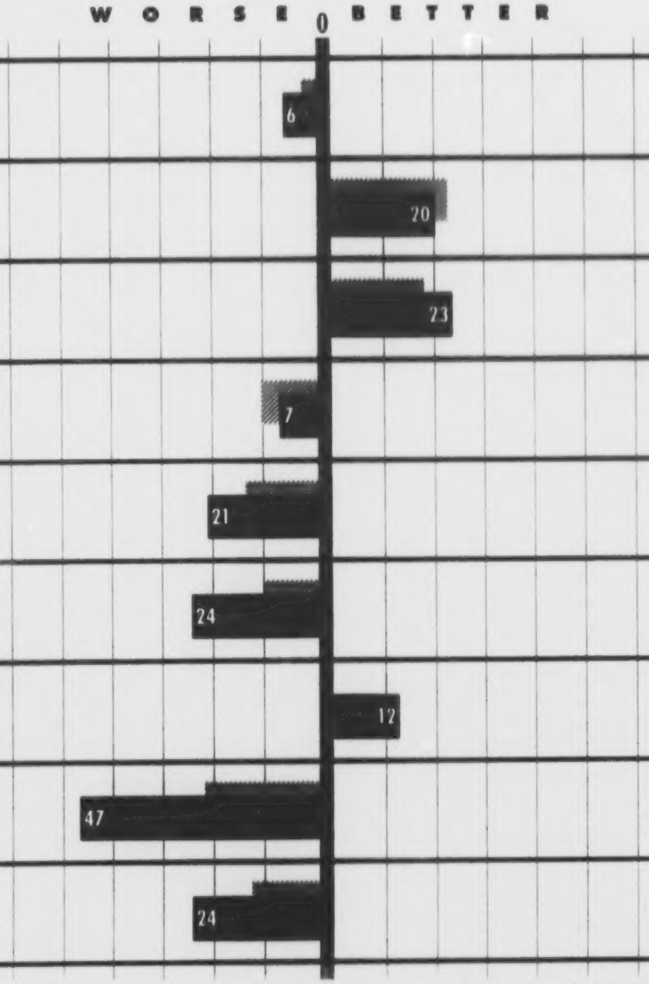
Louisiana

National Composite Rank [49]

Percent change over time



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Trend data

Indicators	Years	Year	State	National	National rank (National rank is based on most recent available data)
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	8.6 9.1	6.8 7.0	[48]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	14.3 11.4	12.6 9.8	[44]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	50.7 39.0	39.5 32.4	[45]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	80.7 86.4	62.4 69.3	[42]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	10.2 12.4	7.5 8.6	[49]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	98 122	142 156	[19]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	52.9 59.5	69.7 69.6	[49]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	23.5 34.6	16.0 19.5	[51]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	25.3 31.3	21.3 24.1	[49]

	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
Median income of families with children	$29,037	$32,180	$32,948	$34,119

	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$68,369	$71,058	$73,406	$74,971
	$10,282	$9,915	$9,572	$9,146

	1982	1989	1990	1991
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	72.0%	76.2%	77.3%	75.4%

	1980-84	1985-89	1986-90	1987-91
Percent children without health insurance	19.2%	12.2%	12.9%	13.8%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Children living with their parents	298,534	289,452	**Percent children living with their parents**	92.9%	93.7%
Children living with other relatives	15,232	11,299	**Percent children living with other relatives**	4.7%	3.7%
Children living outside family	7,621	8,251	**Percent children living outside family**	2.4%	2.7%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Total population under age 18	321,387	309,002	**Percent population under age 18**	28.6%	25.2%
Total minority population under age 18	7,071	8,676	**Percent population under age 18 that is minority**	2.2%	2.8%

	1990		1990
African Americans under age 18	1,705	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	19.7%
Hispanics under age 18*	2,522	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	29.1%
Asian Americans under age 18	2,243	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	25.9%
Native Americans under age 18	2,126	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	24.5%
Other minorities under age 18	745	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	8.6%

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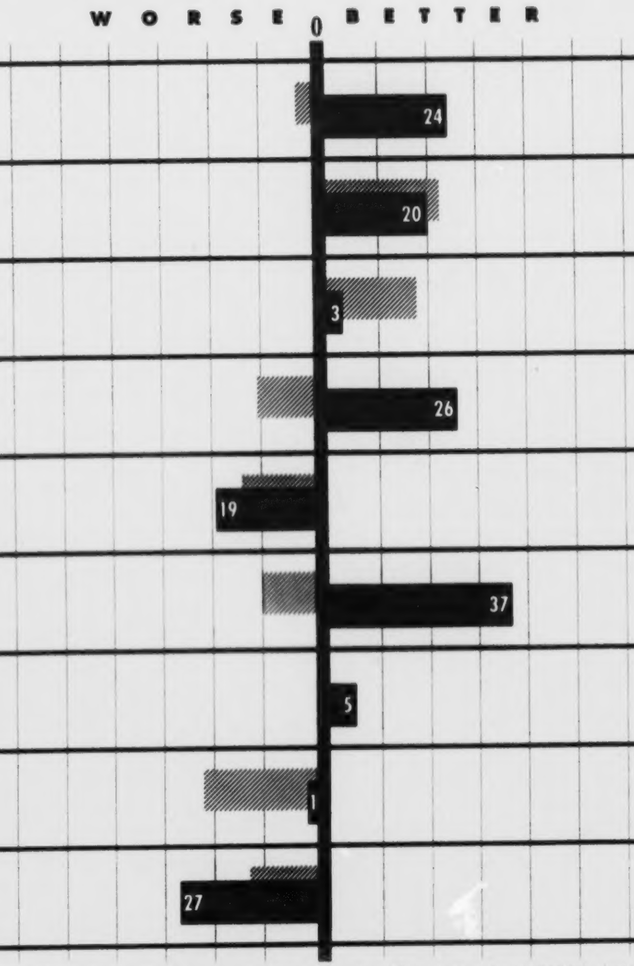
Maine

National Composite Rank [10]

Percent change over time



Indicators		Year	State	National	National rank (National rank is based on most recent available data)
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	6.4 4.9	6.8 7.0	[1]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	9.2 7.4	12.6 9.8	[3]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	33.3 32.3	39.5 32.4	[24]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	68.8 50.5	62.4 69.3	[8]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	6.3 7.5	7.5 8.6	[22]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	142 90	142 156	[10]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	70.1 73.9	69.7 69.6	[24]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	15.8 16.1	16.0 19.5	[22]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	16.6 21.2	21.3 24.1	[19]

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	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
Median income of families with children	$38,977	$42,330	$41,921	$42,323

	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$75,160	$77,032	$77,028	$76,923
	$9,025	$8,341	$8,662	$9,286

	1982	1989	1990	1991
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	69.9%	73.1%	73.8%	72.3%

	1980-84	1985-89	1986-90	1987-91
Percent children without health insurance	16.9%	15.7%	15.8%	17.6%

	1980	1990
Children living with their parents	1,051,509	1,026,261
Percent children living with their parents	90.1%	88.3%
Children living with other relatives	91,231	107,713
Percent children living with other relatives	7.8%	9.3%
Children living outside family	24,790	28,267
Percent children living outside family	2.1%	2.4%

	1980	1990
Total population under age 18	1,167,530	1,162,241
Percent population under age 18	27.7%	24.3%
Total minority population under age 18	370,875	416,215
Percent population under age 18 that is minority	31.8%	35.8%

	1990		1990
African Americans under age 18	341,106	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	82.0%
Hispanics under age 18*	36,311	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	8.7%
Asian Americans under age 18	38,472	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	9.2%
Native Americans under age 18	3,412	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	0.8%
Other minorities under age 18	13,810	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	3.3%

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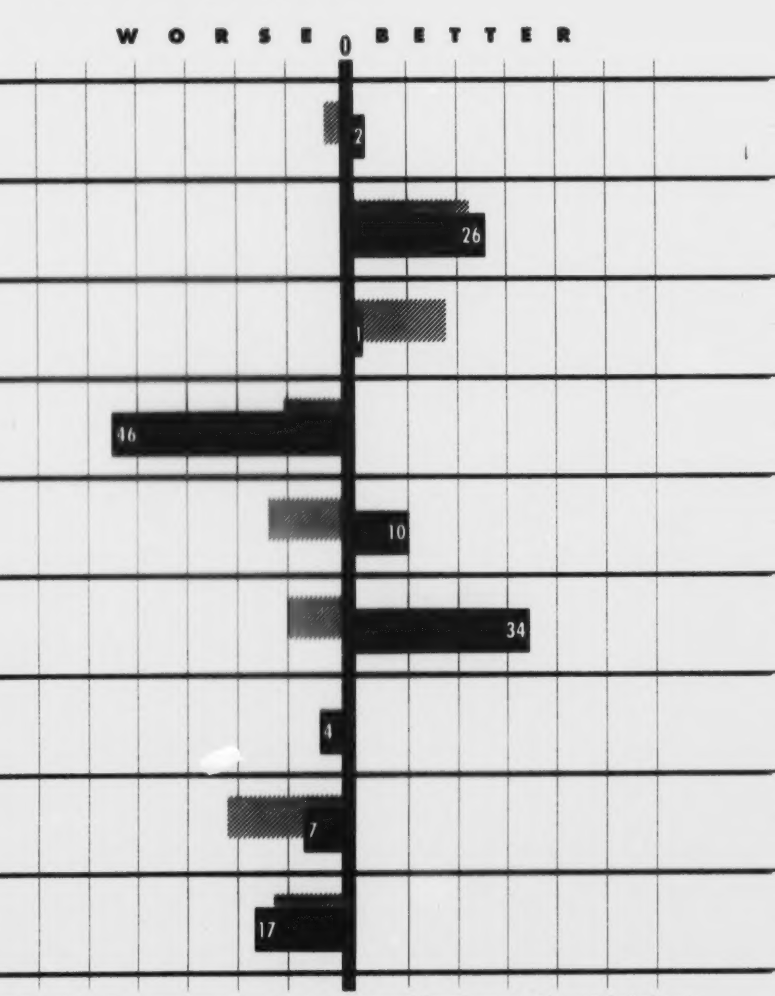
Maryland

National Composite Rank [29]

Percent change over time



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Indicators	Years	Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980	8.2	6.8	[42]
		1989	8.0	7.0	
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980	14.0	12.6	[38]
		1989	10.3	9.8	
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980	31.7	39.5	[22]
		1989	31.5	32.4	
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984	47.7	62.4	[25]
		1989	69.8	69.3	
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980	9.6	7.5	[29]
		1989	8.6	8.6	
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985	195	142	[22]
		1989	128	156	
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982	74.8	69.7	[27]
		1989	72.0	69.6	
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979	12.5	16.0	[11]
		1986-90	13.4	19.5	
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84	23.6	21.3	[43]
		1987-91	27.5	24.1	

Trend data

National rank is based on most recent available data

Median income of families with children	$36,707 1979-83	$41,821 1984-88	$43,117 1985-89	$43,463 1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$69,361 1979-83	$78,984 1984-88	$80,657 1985-89	$81,338 1986-90
	$9,109 1979-83	$8,215 1984-88	$8,368 1985-89	$8,591 1986-90
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	78.0% 1982	81.6% 1989	81.1% 1990	79.2% 1991
Percent children without health insurance	12.9% 1980-84	12.0% 1985-89	12.1% 1986-90	12.6% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	1,406,976 1980	1,258,429 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	94.4% 1980	93.0% 1990
Children living with other relatives	58,141 1980	67,232 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	3.9% 1980	5.0% 1990
Children living outside family	25,272 1980	27,414 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	1.7% 1980	2.0% 1990

Total population under age 18	1,490,389 1980	1,353,075 1990	Percent population under age 18	26.0% 1980	22.5% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	160,336 1980	242,220 1990	Percent population under age 18 that is minority	10.8% 1980	17.9% 1990

African Americans under age 18	93,378 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	38.6% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	107,175 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	44.2% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	41,253 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	17.0% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	3,577 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	1.5% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	61,608 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	25.4% 1990

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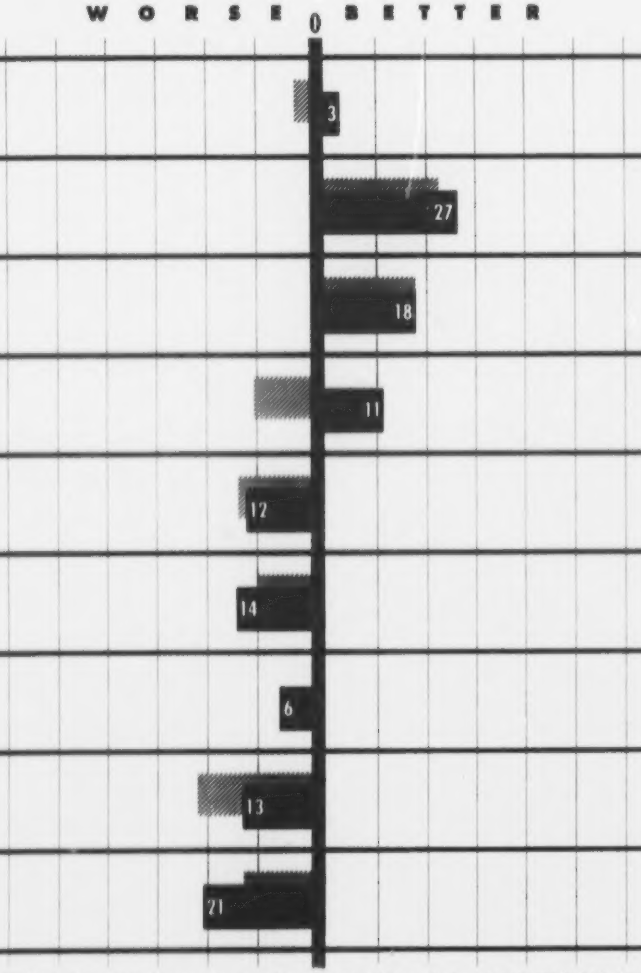
Massachusetts

National Composite Rank [7]

Percent change over time



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Trend data

National rank

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Indicators		Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	6.1 5.9	6.8 7.0	[16]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	10.5 7.7	12.6 9.8	[4]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	27.3 22.3	39.5 32.4	[1]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	49.7 44.4	62.4 69.3	[3]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	6.1 6.8	7.5 8.6	[11]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	77 88	142 156	[8]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	76.4 72.0	69.7 69.6	[27]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	13.1 14.8	16.0 19.5	[17]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	20.3 24.5	21.3 24.1	[33]

	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
Median income of families with children	$35,755	$36,357	$37,195	$37,089

	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$67,261	$75,944	$77,059	$78,006
	$8,430	$7,748	$8,011	$8,150

	1987	1989	1990	1991
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	81.4%	78.7%	76.7%	72.6%

	1980-84	1985-89	1986-90	1987-91
Percent children without health insurance	13.3%	11.3%	11.3%	11.7%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Children living with their parents	2,556,351	2,256,095	**Percent children living with their parents**	92.9%	91.8%
Children living with other relatives	148,101	148,670	**Percent children living with other relatives**	5.4%	6.0%
Children living outside family	47,534	54,000	**Percent children living outside family**	1.7%	2.2%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Total population under age 18	2,751,986	2,458,765	**Percent population under age 18**	29.7%	26.5%
Total minority population under age 18	547,437	547,985	**Percent population under age 18 that is minority**	19.9%	22.3%

	1990		1990
African Americans under age 18	419,231	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	76.5%
Hispanics under age 18*	77,146	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	14.1%
Asian Americans under age 18	34,627	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	6.3%
Native Americans under age 18	19,018	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	3.5%
Other minorities under age 18	34,929	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	6.4%

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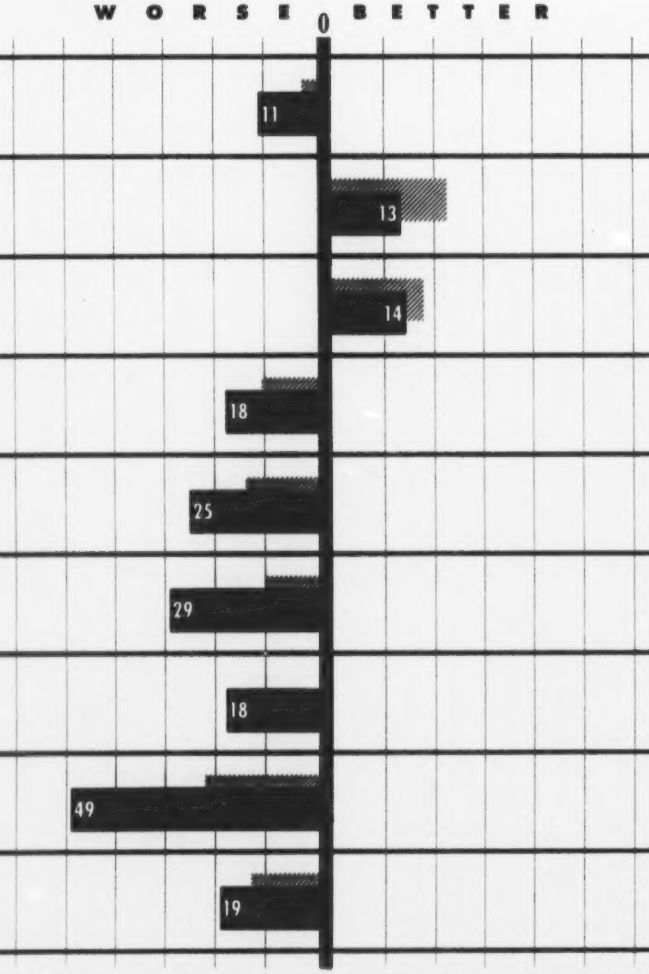
Michigan

National Composite Rank [39]



Indicators		Percent change over time	Trend data Year	State	National	National rank (National rank is based on most recent available data)
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	11	1980 1989	6.8 7.6	6.8 7.0	[37]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	13	1980 1989	12.8 11.1	12.6 9.8	[41]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	14	1980 1989	36.5 31.3	39.5 32.4	[21]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	18	1984 1989	63.4 75.0	62.4 69.3	[32]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	25	1980 1989	6.9 8.6	7.5 8.6	[29]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	29	1985 1989	147 189	142 156	[39]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	18	1982 1989	76.4 62.8	69.7 69.6	[43]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	49	1979 1986-90	13.3 19.8	16.0 19.5	[32]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	19	1980-84 1987-91	22.1 26.2	21.3 24.1	[38]

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Median income of families with children	$36,079 1979-83	$38,006 1984-88	$38,343 1985-89	$38,377 1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$68,942 1979-83	$73,332 1984-88	$74,836 1985-89	$76,506 1986-90
	$9,640 1979-83	$9,302 1984-88	$8,945 1985-89	$9,239 1986-90
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	84.9% 1982	81.1% 1989	80.7% 1990	78.8% 1991
Percent children without health insurance	19.1% 1980-84	9.0% 1985-89	9.7% 1986-90	9.9% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	1,122,811 1980	1,114,779 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	95.8% 1980	95.5% 1990
Children living with other relatives	29,827 1980	29,608 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	2.5% 1980	2.5% 1990
Children living outside family	19,170 1980	22,396 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	1.6% 1980	1.9% 1990

Total population under age 18	1,171,808 1980	1,166,783 1990	Percent population under age 18	28.7% 1980	26.7% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	67,445 1980	114,467 1990	Percent population under age 18 that is minority	5.8% 1980	9.8% 1990

African Americans under age 18	37,123 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	32.4% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	22,498 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	19.7% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	35,109 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	30.7% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	20,491 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	17.9% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	9,726 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	8.5% 1990

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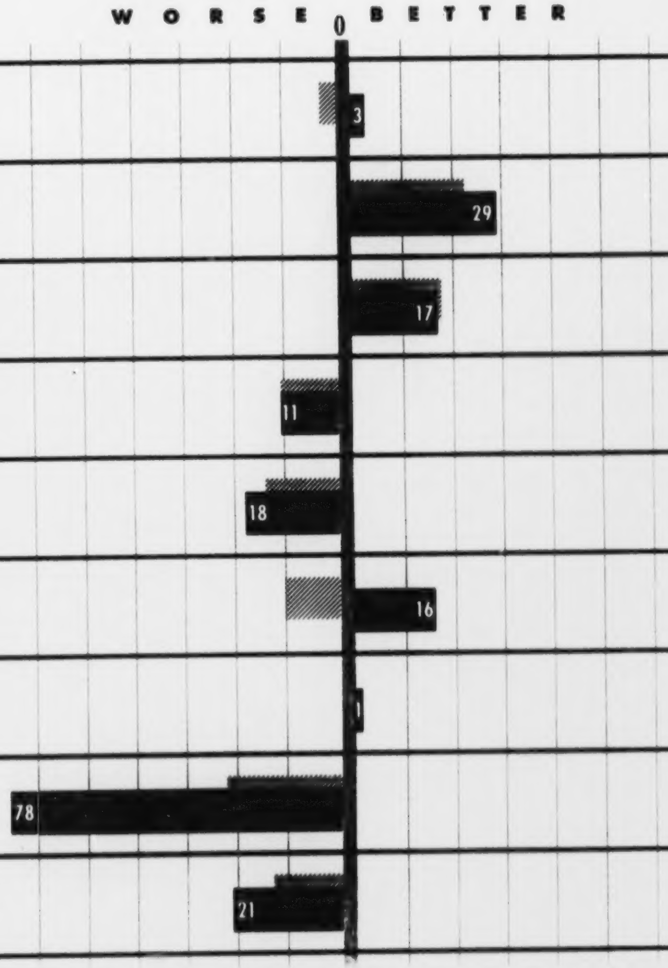
Minnesota

National Composite Rank [6]

Percent change over time



Indicators	Years	Trend data: Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	5.1 4.9	6.8 7.0	[1]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	10.0 7.1	12.6 9.8	[2]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	34.3 28.5	39.5 32.4	[8]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	55.7 61.9	62.4 69.3	[18]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	5.0 5.9	7.5 8.6	[6]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	213 179	142 156	[36]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	88.2 89.3	69.7 69.6	[1]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	10.2 18.1	16.0 19.5	[28]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	15.6 18.9	21.3 24.1	[11]

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	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
Median income of families with children	$25,526	$24,624	$25,075	$24,773

Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
	$70,132	$73,263	$75,857	$76,150
	$9,071	$8,842	$8,535	$8,726

	1982	1989	1990	1991
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	45.6%	44.1%	45.0%	44.6%

	1980-84	1985-89	1986-90	1987-91
Percent children without health insurance	29.2%	27.6%	28.4%	28.6%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Children living with their parents	703,226	643,495	**Percent children living with their parents**	86.4%	86.2%
Children living with other relatives	97,331	90,623	**Percent children living with other relatives**	12.0%	12.1%
Children living outside family	13,640	12,643	**Percent children living outside family**	1.7%	1.7%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Total population under age 18	814,197	746,761	Percent population under age 18	32.3%	29.0%
Total minority population under age 18	367,507	348,895	Percent population under age 18 that is minority	45.1%	46.7%

	1990		1990
African Americans under age 18	337,388	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	96.7%
Hispanics under age 18*	5,276	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	1.5%
Asian Americans under age 18	4,280	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	1.2%
Native Americans under age 18	3,312	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	0.9%
Other minorities under age 18	1,007	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	0.3%

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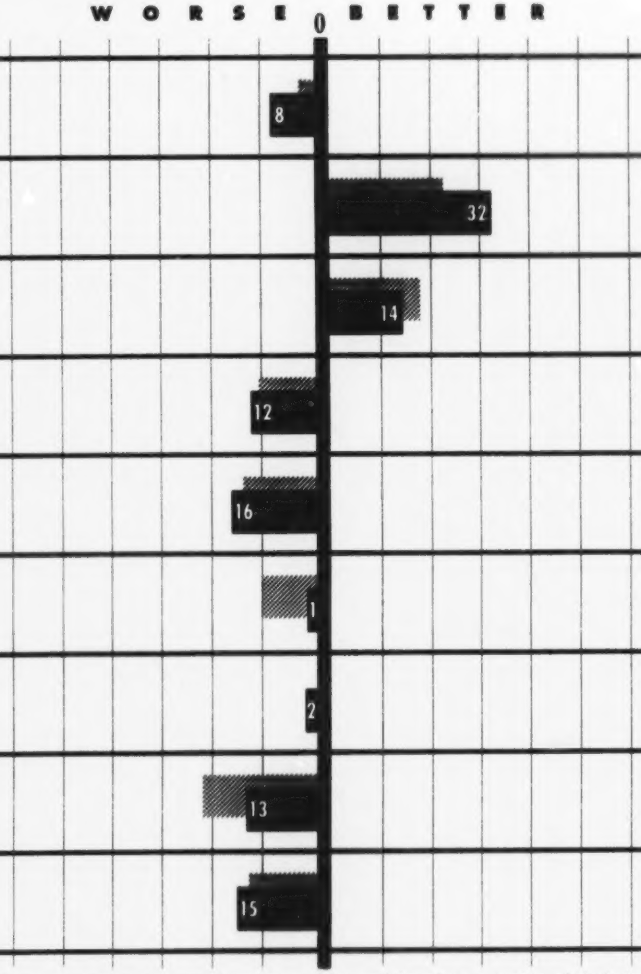
Mississippi

National Composite Rank [50]

Percent change over time



Indicators		Trend data Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980	8.7	6.8	[50]
		1989	9.4	7.0	
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980	17.0	12.6	[45]
		1989	11.6	9.8	
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980	54.9	39.5	[51]
		1989	47.3	32.4	
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984	66.5	62.4	[30]
		1989	74.5	69.3	
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980	13.6	7.5	[50]
		1989	15.8	8.6	
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985	91	142	[11]
		1989	92	156	
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982	61.3	69.7	[46]
		1989	60.1	69.6	
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979	30.4	16.0	[50]
		1986-90	34.4	19.5	
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84	26.8	21.3	[48]
		1987-91	30.8	24.1	

National rank is based on most recent available data

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Median income of families with children	$31,503 1979-83	$33,468 1984-88	$33,438 1985-89	$33,943 1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$68,051 1979-83	$72,052 1984-88	$75,525 1985-89	$77,957 1986-90
	$9,602 1979-83	$9,002 1984-88	$9,189 1985-89	$9,578 1986-90
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	65.4% 1982	61.0% 1989	62.2% 1990	61.3% 1991
Percent children without health insurance	21.2% 1980-84	16.6% 1985-89	17.0% 1986-90	16.9% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	1,253,029 1980	1,204,543 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	92.0% 1980	91.6% 1990
Children living with other relatives	82,688 1980	80,940 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	6.1% 1980	6.2% 1990
Children living outside family	26,766 1980	29,343 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	2.0% 1980	2.2% 1990

Total population under age 18	1,362,483 1980	1,314,826 1990	**Percent population under age 18**	27.7% 1980	25.7% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	214,510 1980	217,637 1990	**Percent population under age 18 that is minority**	15.7% 1980	16.6% 1990

African Americans under age 18	178,969 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	82.2% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	21,272 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	9.8% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	11,872 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	5.5% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	5,648 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	2.6% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	8,063 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	3.7% 1990

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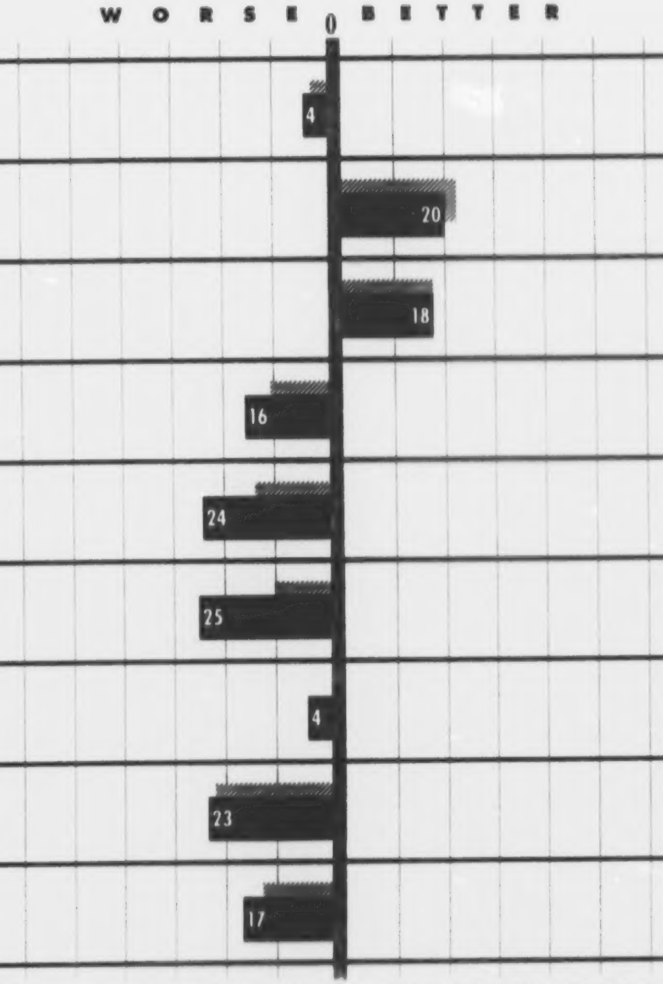
Missouri

National Composite Rank [34]

Percent change over time



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Indicators		Trend data: Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	6.6 6.9	6.8 7.0	[25]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	12.4 9.9	12.6 9.8	[31]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	41.5 34.2	39.5 32.4	[31]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	71.6 83.2	62.4 69.3	[41]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	7.7 9.5	7.5 8.6	[36]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	130 162	142 156	[32]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	74.2 71.6	69.7 69.6	[29]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	14.6 18.0	16.0 19.5	[26]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	19.2 22.5	21.3 24.1	[24]

National rank is based on most recent available data

Median income of families with children	1979 83	1984 88	1985 89	1986 90
	$30,948	$29,298	$29,272	$28,946

Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	1979 83	1984 88	1985 89	1986 90
Top fifth	$66,205	$72,509	$73,102	$72,530
Bottom fifth	$8,838	$9,391	$9,475	$9,382

AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	1987	1989	1990	1991
	76.2%	68.0%	69.0%	69.2%

Percent children without health insurance	1980 84	1985 89	1986 90	1987 91
	28.4%	22.0%	21.4%	20.7%

	1980	1990
Children living with their parents	217,028	207,927
Percent children living with their parents	93.6%	93.6%
Children living with other relatives	10,316	8,102
Percent children living with other relatives	4.4%	3.6%
Children living outside family	4,551	6,075
Percent children living outside family	2.0%	2.7%

	1980	1990
Total population under age 18	231,895	222,104
Percent population under age 18	29.5%	27.8%
Total minority population under age 18	22,575	26,660
Percent population under age 18 that is minority	9.7%	12.0%

	1990		1990
African Americans under age 18	881	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	3.3%
Hispanics under age 18*	5,116	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	19.2%
Asian Americans under age 18	1,462	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	5.5%
Native Americans under age 18	19,880	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	74.6%
Other minorities under age 18	1,365	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	5.1%

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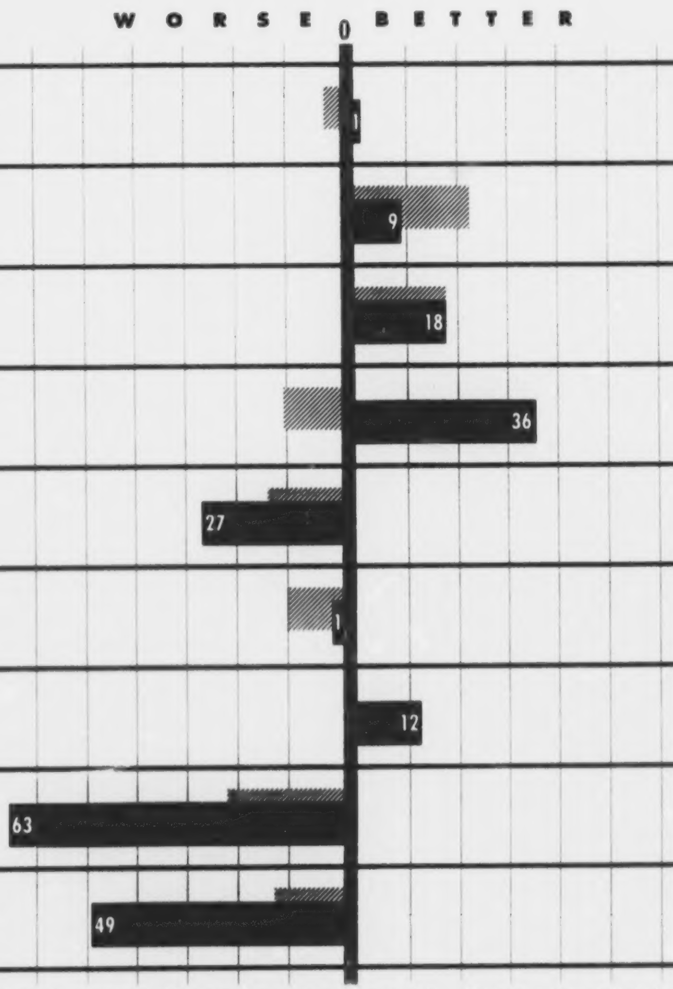
Montana

National Composite Rank [20]

Percent change over time



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Trend data

National rank

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Indicators		Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980	5.6	6.8	[10]
		1989	5.5	7.0	
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980	12.4	12.6	[42]
		1989	11.3	9.8	
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980	44.5	39.5	[37]
		1989	36.4	32.4	
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984	126.6	62.4	[40]
		1989	80.7	69.3	
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980	5.3	7.5	[9]
		1989	6.7	8.6	
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985	137	142	[23]
		1989	139	156	
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982	78.7	69.7	[2]
		1989	88.4	69.6	
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979	13.8	16.0	[41]
		1986-90	22.6	19.5	
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84	13.4	21.3	[15]
		1987-91	20.0	24.1	

Median income of families with children	$31,548 1979-83	$31,833 1984-88	$32,652 1985-89	$33,242 1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$67,845 1979-83	$69,894 1984-88	$72,850 1985-89	$73,425 1986-90
	$8,854 1979-83	$9,951 1984-88	$9,980 1985-89	$10,014 1986-90
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	75.8% 1987	68.2% 1989	68.4% 1990	67.1% 1991
Percent children without health insurance	22.8% 1980-84	17.2% 1985-89	17.0% 1986-90	15.9% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	425,149 1980	407,918 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	95.1% 1980	95.1% 1990
Children living with other relatives	14,983 1980	13,368 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	3.4% 1980	3.1% 1990
Children living outside family	7,038 1980	7,726 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	1.6% 1980	1.8% 1990

Total population under age 18	447,170 1980	429,012 1990	**Percent population under age 18**	28.5% 1980	27.2% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	38,122 1980	44,687 1990	**Percent population under age 18 that is minority**	8.5% 1980	10.4% 1990

African Americans under age 18	20,946 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	46.9% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	14,703 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	32.9% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	4,024 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	9.0% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	5,234 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	11.7% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	6,288 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	14.1% 1990

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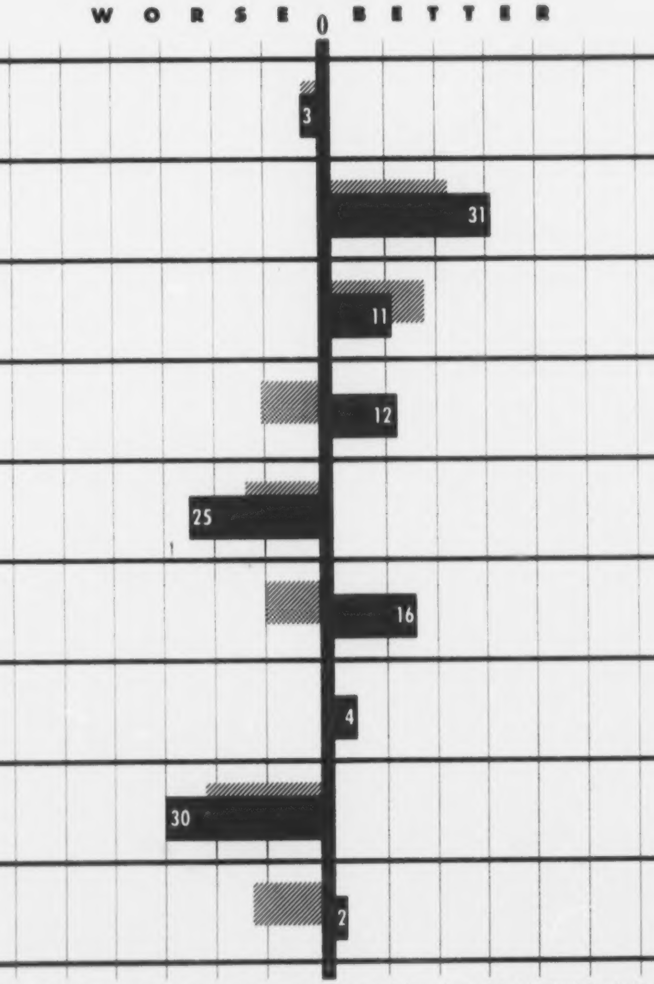
Nebraska

National Composite Rank [8]

Percent change over time



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Trend data

National rank

National rank is based on most recent available data

Indicators		Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	5.6 5.8	6.8 7.0	[14]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	11.5 7.9	12.6 9.8	[5]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	34.6 30.8	39.5 32.4	[16]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	65.6 57.8	62.4 69.3	[12]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	5.3 6.6	7.5 8.6	[8]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	254 213	142 156	[43]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	81.9 85.2	69.7 69.6	[6]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	12.1 15.8	16.0 19.5	[21]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	15.2 14.8	21.3 24.1	[3]

Median income of families with children	$37,203 1979-83	$34,390 1984-88	$33,678 1985-89	$34,464 1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$69,552 1979-83	$74,483 1984-88	$75,895 1985-89	$77,196 1986-90
	$10,370 1979-83	$9,206 1984-88	$9,689 1985-89	$10,191 1986-90
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	67.1% 1982	65.0% 1989	65.3% 1990	64.2% 1991
Percent children without health insurance	23.4% 1980-84	23.4% 1985-89	23.1% 1986-90	22.1% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	194,635 1980	266,250 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	90.2% 1980	89.7% 1990
Children living with other relatives	14,085 1980	20,387 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	6.5% 1980	6.9% 1990
Children living outside family	7,079 1980	10,311 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	3.3% 1980	3.5% 1990

Total population under age 18	215,799 1980	296,948 1990	Percent population under age 18	27.0% 1980	24.7% 1990
Total minority population under pge 18	48,962 1980	83,071 1990	Percent population under age 18 that is minority	22.7% 1980	28.0% 1990

African Americans under age 18	26,536 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	31.9% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	42,351 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	51.0% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	9,872 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	11.9% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	6,313 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	7.6% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	18,352 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	22.1% 1990

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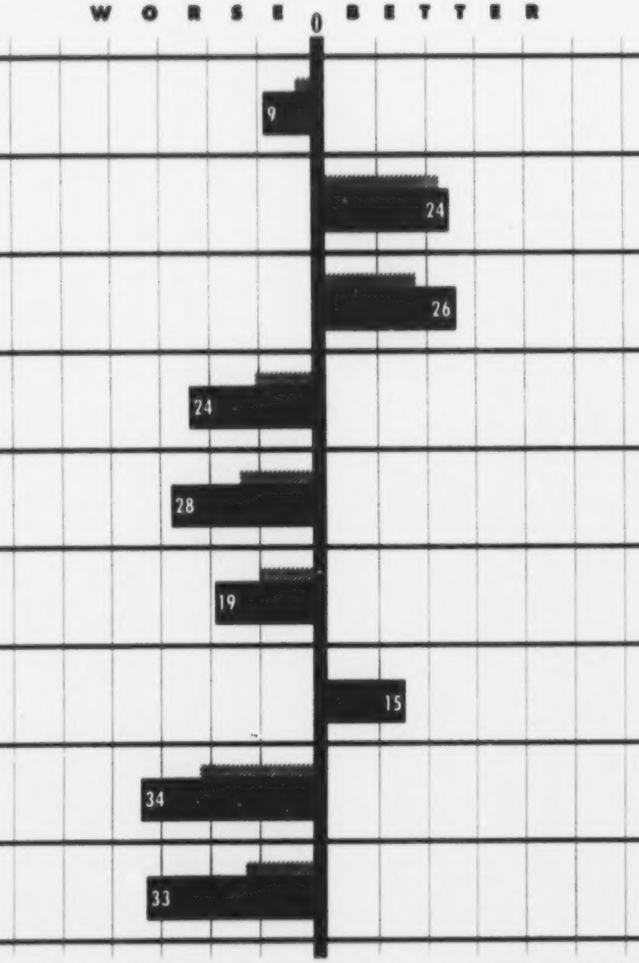
Nevada

National Composite Rank [37]

Percent change over time



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Trend data

Indicators		Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	6.6 7.2	6.8 7.0	[33]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	10.7 8.1	12.6 9.8	[9]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	50.4 37.4	39.5 32.4	[39]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	81.8 101.4	62.4 69.3	[49]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	5.5 7.1	7.5 8.6	[13]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	292 348	142 156	[50]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	64.8 74.7	69.7 69.6	[20]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	10.0 13.3	16.0 19.5	[10]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	19.6 26.2	21.3 24.1	[38]

National rank is based on most recent available data

Median income of families with children	$34,207	$42,268	$43,325	$44,937
	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90

Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$70,025	$75,184	$76,176	$77,185
	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
	$10,287	$11,068	$10,903	$9,627
	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90

AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	71.5%	77.0%	76.8%	75.9%
	1982	1989	1990	1991

Percent children without health insurance	16.1%	14.4%	17.0%	16.3%
	1980-84	1985-89	1986-90	1987-91

Children living with their parents	243,123	262,446	**Percent children living with their parents**	94.2%	94.1%
	1980	1990		1980	1990
Children living with other relatives	9,724	9,782	**Percent children living with other relatives**	3.8%	3.5%
	1980	1990		1980	1990
Children living outside family	5,235	6,527	**Percent children living outside family**	2.0%	2.3%
	1980	1990		1980	1990

Total population under age 18	258,082	278,755	Percent population under age 18	28.0%	25.1%
	1980	1990		1980	1990
Total minority population under age 18	5,266	9,569	Percent population under age 18 that is minority	2.0%	3.4%
	1980	1990		1980	1990

African Americans under age 18	2,285	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	23.9%
	1990		1990
Hispanics under age 18*	3,940	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	41.2%
	1990		1990
Asian Americans under age 18	2,744	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	28.7%
	1990		1990
Native Americans under age 18	554	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	5.8%
	1990		1990
Other minorities under age 18	1,233	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	12.9%
	1990		1990

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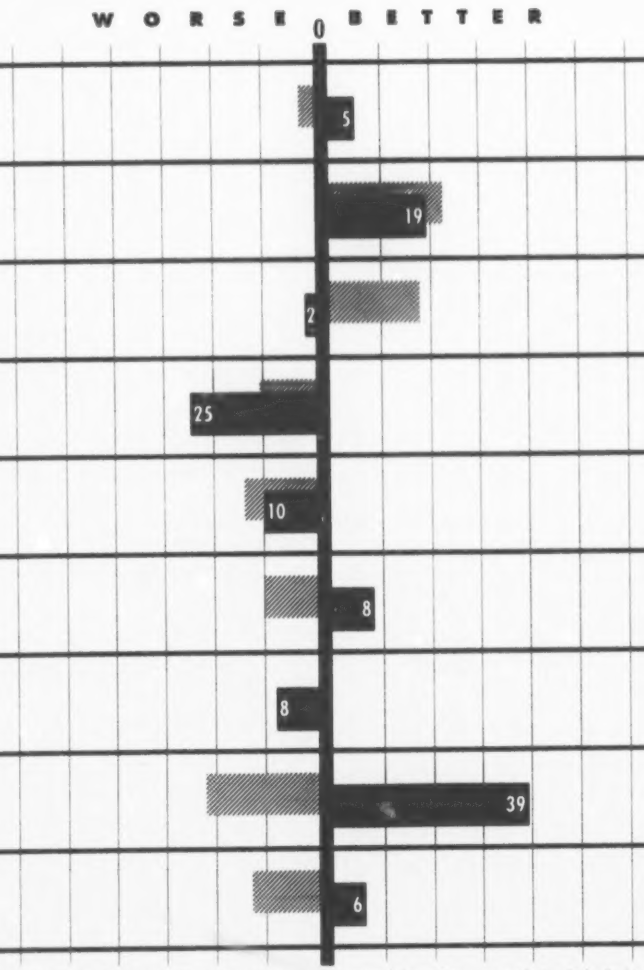
New Hampshire

National Composite Rank [2]

Percent change over time



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Trend data

National rank

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Indicators		Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980	5.4	6.8	[5]
		1989	5.1	7.0	
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980	9.9	12.6	[6]
		1989	8.0	9.8	
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980	28.9	39.5	[9]
		1989	29.5	32.4	
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984	52.5	62.4	[19]
		1989	65.4	69.3	
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980	4.7	7.5	[2]
		1989	5.2	8.6	
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985	109	142	[15]
		1989	100	156	
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982	77.0	69.7	[32]
		1989	70.5	69.6	
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979	9.4	16.0	[1]
		1986-90	5.8	19.5	
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84	17.4	21.3	[6]
		1987-91	16.3	24.1	

Median income of families with children	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
	$38,091	$45,527	$46,754	$47,252

Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
	$70,947	$78,790	$81,695	$82,377
	$8,739	$7,577	$7,944	$8,368

AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	1982	1989	1990	1991
	75.2%	72.7%	72.7%	71.1%

Percent children without health insurance	1980-84	1985-89	1986-90	1987-91
	16.9%	12.2%	12.6%	13.4%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Children living with their parents	1,853,387	1,625,762	**Percent children living with their parents**	93.1%	90.3%
Children living with other relatives	108,928	140,690	**Percent children living with other relatives**	5.5%	7.8%
Children living outside family	28,546	33,010	**Percent children living outside family**	1.4%	1.8%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Total population under age 18	1,990,861	1,799,462	Percent population under age 18	27.0%	23.3%
Total minority population under age 18	557,431	594,827	Percent population under age 18 that is minority	28.0%	33.1%

	1990		1990
African Americans under age 18	303,789	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	51.1%
Hispanics under age 18*	222,559	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	37.4%
Asian Americans under age 18	80,269	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	13.5%
Native Americans under age 18	3,897	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	0.7%
Other minorities under age 18	92,291	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	15.5%

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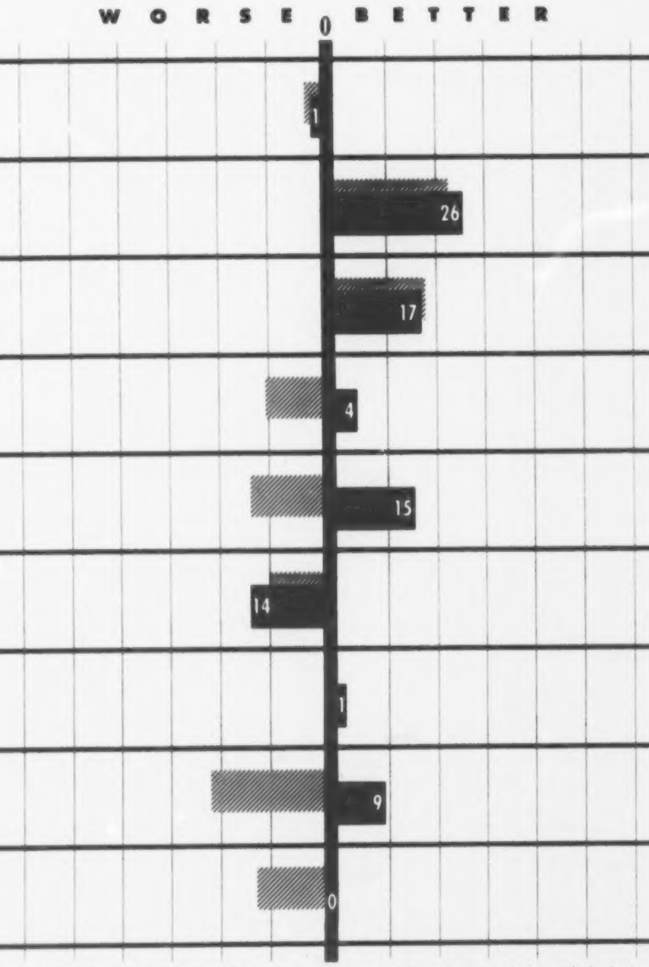
New Jersey

National Composite Rank [11]

Percent change over time



Indicators	Years	Percent change over time	Trend data: Year	State	National	National rank (National rank is based on most recent available data)
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1	1980 1989	7.2 7.3	6.8 7.0	[34]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	26	1980 1989	12.5 9.3	12.6 9.8	[25]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	17	1980 1989	32.2 26.6	39.5 32.4	[4]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	4	1984 1989	43.3 41.5	62.4 69.3	[1]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	15	1980 1989	8.4 7.1	7.5 8.6	[13]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	14	1985 1989	81 92	142 156	[11]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1	1982 1989	76.5 76.9	69.7 69.6	[16]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	9	1979 1986-90	14.1 12.9	16.0 19.5	[7]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	0	1980-84 1987-91	22.8 22.9	21.3 24.1	[26]

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	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
Median income of families with children	$27,664	$25,814	$25,420	$25,740

	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$68,516	$75,200	$74,922	$73,860
	$9,387	$9,141	$9,508	$9,449

	1982	1989	1990	1991
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	63.2%	59.9%	64.2%	64.1%

	1980-84	1985-89	1986-90	1987-91
Percent children without health insurance	32.0%	28.9%	29.2%	30.2%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Children living with their parents	378,900	401,577	**Percent children living with their parents**	90.7%	89.9%
Children living with other relatives	30,624	35,396	**Percent children living with other relatives**	7.3%	7.9%
Children living outside family	8,383	9,768	**Percent children living outside family**	2.0%	2.2%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Total population under age 18	417,907	446,741	Percent population under age 18	32.1%	29.5%
Total minority population under age 18	242,906	268,769	Percent population under age 18 that is minority	58.1%	60.2%

	1990		1990
African Americans under age 18	10,400	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	3.9%
Hispanics under age 18*	203,457	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	75.7%
Asian Americans under age 18	4,423	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	1.6%
Native Americans under age 18	54,455	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	20.3%
Other minorities under age 18	67,859	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	25.2%

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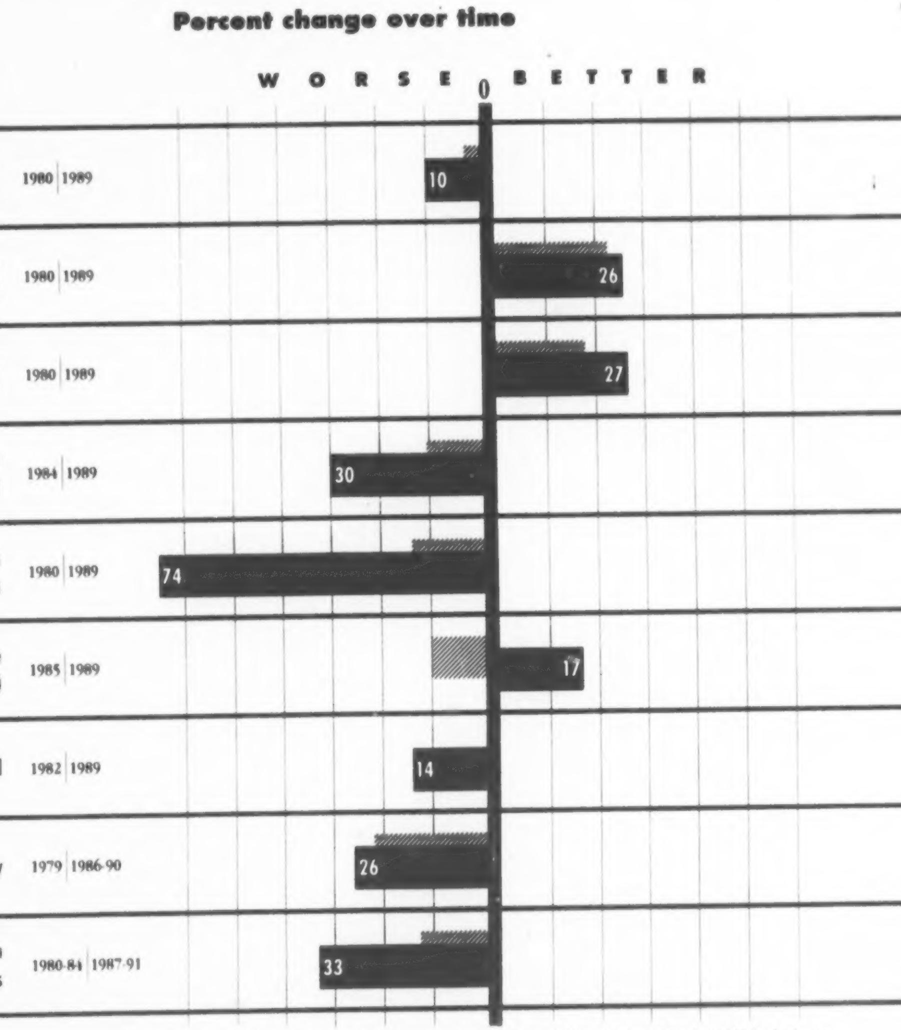
New Mexico

National Composite Rank [44]

Percent change over time



Indicators	Years	Percent change over time	Trend data: Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	10 (worse)	1980 1989	6.3 6.9	6.8 7.0	[25]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	26 (better)	1980 1989	11.5 8.5	12.6 9.8	[12]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	27 (better)	1980 1989	49.9 36.5	39.5 32.4	[38]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	30 (worse)	1984 1989	77.5 100.9	62.4 69.3	[48]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	74 (worse)	1980 1989	6.3 11.0	7.5 8.6	[44]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	17 (better)	1985 1989	168 139	142 156	[23]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	14 (worse)	1982 1989	69.4 60.0	69.7 69.6	[47]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	26 (worse)	1979 1986-90	22.1 27.8	16.0 19.5	[48]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	33 (worse)	1980-84 1987-91	17.3 23.0	21.3 24.1	[28]

National rank is based on most recent available data

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Median income of families with children	$32,492 1979-83	$34,098 1984-88	$34,977 1985-89	$35,528 1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$69,593 1979-83	$78,790 1984-88	$80,489 1985-89	$82,041 1986-90
	$9,006 1979-83	$7,724 1984-88	$7,794 1985-89	$7,758 1986-90
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	89.9% 1982	89.1% 1989	91.6% 1990	89.1% 1991
Percent children without health insurance	17.1% 1980-84	16.3% 1985-89	16.3% 1986-90	16.0% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	4,357,708 1980	3,806,821 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	93.0% 1980	89.4% 1990
Children living with other relatives	246,487 1980	346,222 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	5.3% 1980	8.1% 1990
Children living outside family	83,668 1980	106,506 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	1.8% 1980	2.5% 1990

Total population under age 18	4,687,863 1980	4,259,549 1990	Percent population under age 18	26.7% 1980	23.7% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	1,500,705 1980	1,616,024 1990	Percent population under age 18 that is minority	32.0% 1980	37.9% 1990

African Americans under age 18	835,838 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	51.7% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	675,970 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	41.8% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	173,090 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	10.7% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	19,012 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	1.2% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	330,798 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	20.5% 1990

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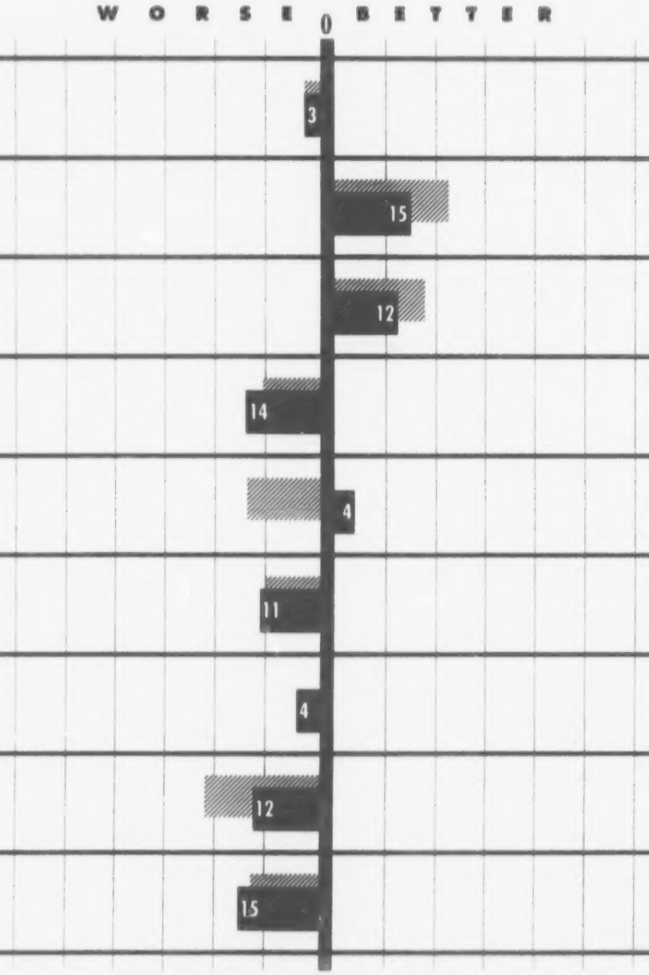
New York

National Composite Rank [36]

Percent change over time



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Indicators		Trend data: Year	State	National	National rank (National rank is based on most recent available data)
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	7.4 7.6	6.8 7.0	[37]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	12.5 10.6	12.6 9.8	[39]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	34.0 30.1	39.5 32.4	[14]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	47.1 53.5	62.4 69.3	[9]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	7.7 7.4	7.5 8.6	[19]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	152 168	142 156	[35]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	63.4 61.1	69.7 69.6	[45]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	19.0 21.4	16.0 19.5	[39]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	25.5 29.3	21.3 24.1	[46]

	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
Median income of families with children	$29,861	$30,925	$31,306	$31,490
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$67,325	$74,166	$75,440	$76,647
	$9,843	$9,192	$9,690	$9,762

	1982	1989	1990	1991
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	57.8%	58.2%	59.2%	58.3%

	1980-84	1985-89	1986-90	1987-91
Percent children without health insurance	21.6%	21.7%	22.4%	22.5%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Children living with their parents	1,476,332	1,433,052	**Percent children living with their parents**	89.1%	89.2%
Children living with other relatives	152,422	140,077	**Percent children living with other relatives**	9.2%	8.7%
Children living outside family	28,981	33,020	**Percent children living outside family**	1.7%	2.1%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Total population under age 18	1,657,735	1,606,149	Percent population under age 18	28.2%	24.2%
Total minority population under,age 18	508,320	511,761	Percent population under age 18 that is minority	30.7%	31.9%

	1990		1990
African Americans under age 18	448,467	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	87.6%
Hispanics under age 18*	23,957	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	4.7%
Asian Americans under age 18	15,342	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	3.0%
Native Americans under age 18	26,506	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	5.2%
Other minorities under age 18	9,882	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	1.9%

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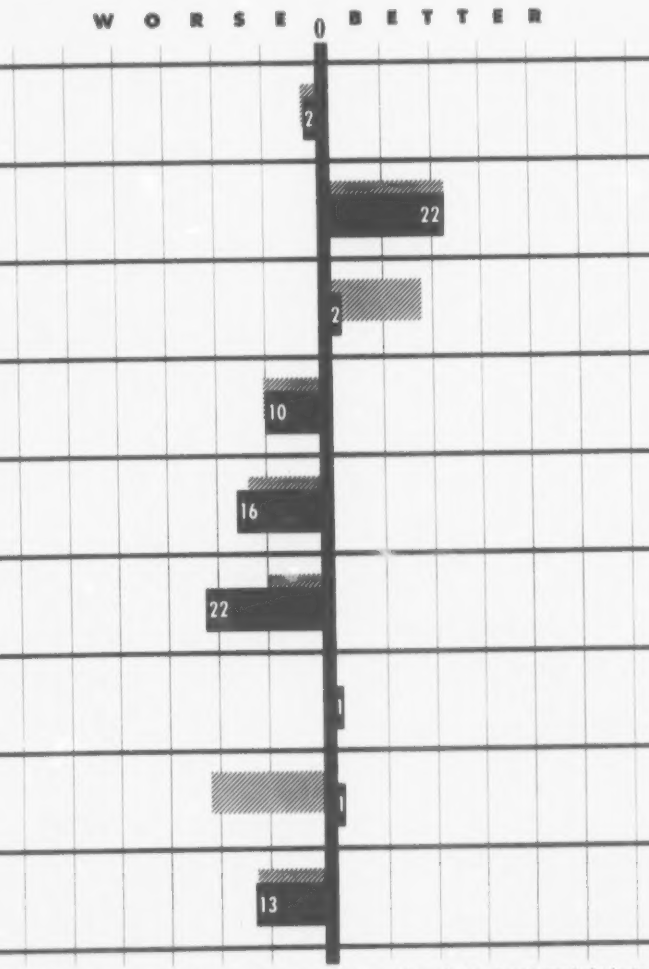
North Carolina

National Composite Rank [41]



Indicators		Percent change over time (WORSE 0 BETTER)	Trend data: Year	State	National	National rank (National rank is based on most recent available data)
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	2	1980 1989	7.9 8.1	6.8 7.0	[43]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	22	1980 1989	14.5 11.3	12.6 9.8	[42]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	2	1980 1989	39.4 38.5	39.5 32.4	[43]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	10	1984 1989	62.9 69.2	62.4 69.3	[24]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	16	1980 1989	9.3 10.8	7.5 8.6	[43]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	22	1985 1989	130 158	142 156	[30]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1	1982 1989	67.1 67.6	69.7 69.6	[37]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1	1979 1986-90	18.3 18.0	16.0 19.5	[26]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	13	1980-84 1987-91	22.4 25.2	21.3 24.1	[35]

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Median income of families with children	$31,698 1979-83	$32,879 1984-88	$33,497 1985-89	$33,722 1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$68,471 1979-83	$72,949 1984-88	$74,101 1985-89	$75,461 1986-90
	$8,162 1979-83	$8,970 1984-88	$9,473 1985-89	$9,926 1986-90
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	77.3% 1982	70.8% 1989	72.0% 1990	70.6% 1991
Percent children without health insurance	23.1% 1980-84	12.7% 1985-89	12.0% 1986-90	11.2% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	182,998 1980	169,004 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	95.8% 1980	96.4% 1990
Children living with other relatives	5,225 1980	3,674 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	2.7% 1980	2.1% 1990
Children living outside family	2,768 1980	2,707 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	1.4% 1980	1.5% 1990

Total population under age 18	190,991 1980	175,385 1990	**Percent population under age 18**	29.3% 1980	27.5% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	13,280 1980	15,919 1990	**Percent population under age 18 that is minority**	7.0% 1980	9.1% 1990

African Americans under age 18	1,316 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	8.3% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	2,090 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	13.1% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	1,074 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	6.7% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	11,629 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	73.1% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	741 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	4.7% 1990

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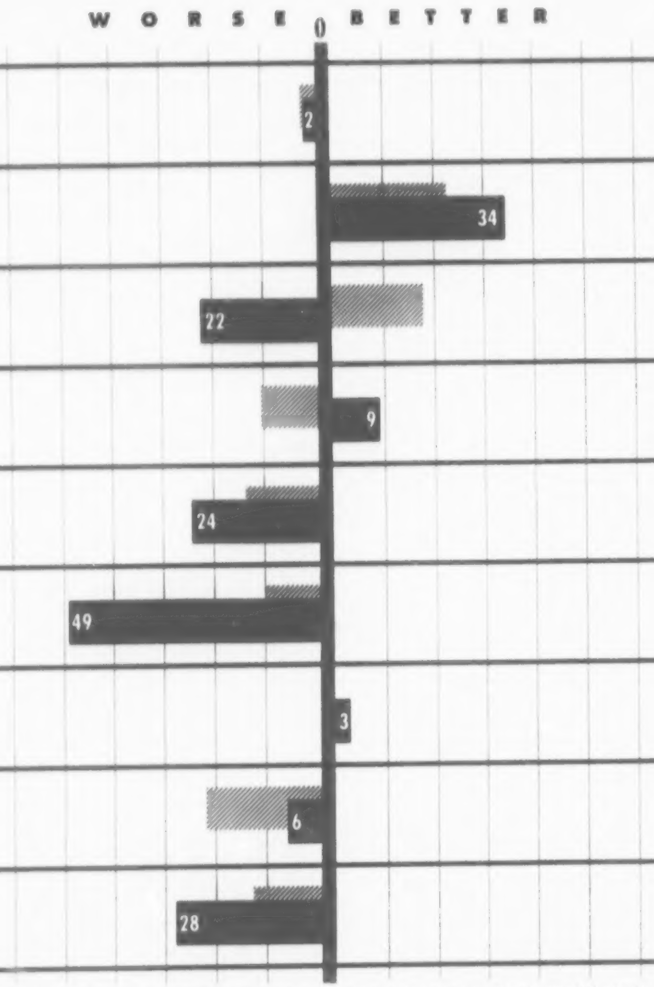
North Dakota

National Composite Rank [1]

Percent change over time



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Trend data

National rank

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Indicators		Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	4.9 5.0	6.8 7.0	[4]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	12.1 8.0	12.6 9.8	[6]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	26.6 32.4	39.5 32.4	[25]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	49.1 44.7	62.4 69.3	[4]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	4.2 5.3	7.5 8.6	[3]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	110 164	142 156	[33]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	83.9 86.8	69.7 69.6	[4]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	14.3 15.1	16.0 19.5	[19]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	9.7 12.4	21.3 24.1	[1]

Median income of families with children	$33,289 1979-83	$35,078 1984-88	$35,812 1985-89	$36,102 1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$68,172 1979-83	$73,684 1984-88	$75,310 1985-89	$75,550 1986-90
	$8,397 1979-83	$8,364 1984-88	$8,300 1985-89	$8,217 1986-90
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	67.3% 1982	66.0% 1989	67.3% 1990	66.1% 1991
Percent children without health insurance	16.0% 1980-84	14.2% 1985-89	14.5% 1986-90	14.1% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	2,878,929 1980	2,575,168 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	93.0% 1980	92.0% 1990
Children living with other relatives	169,275 1980	172,006 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	5.5% 1980	6.1% 1990
Children living outside family	46,116 1980	52,570 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	1.5% 1980	1.9% 1990

Total population under age 18	3,094,320 1980	2,799,744 1990	Percent population under age 18	28.7% 1980	25.8% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	441,695 1980	453,592 1990	Percent population under age 18 that is minority	14.3% 1980	16.2% 1990

African Americans under age 18	368,517 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	81.2% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	52,569 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	11.6% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	26,343 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	5.8% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	5,391 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	1.2% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	25,089 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	5.5% 1990

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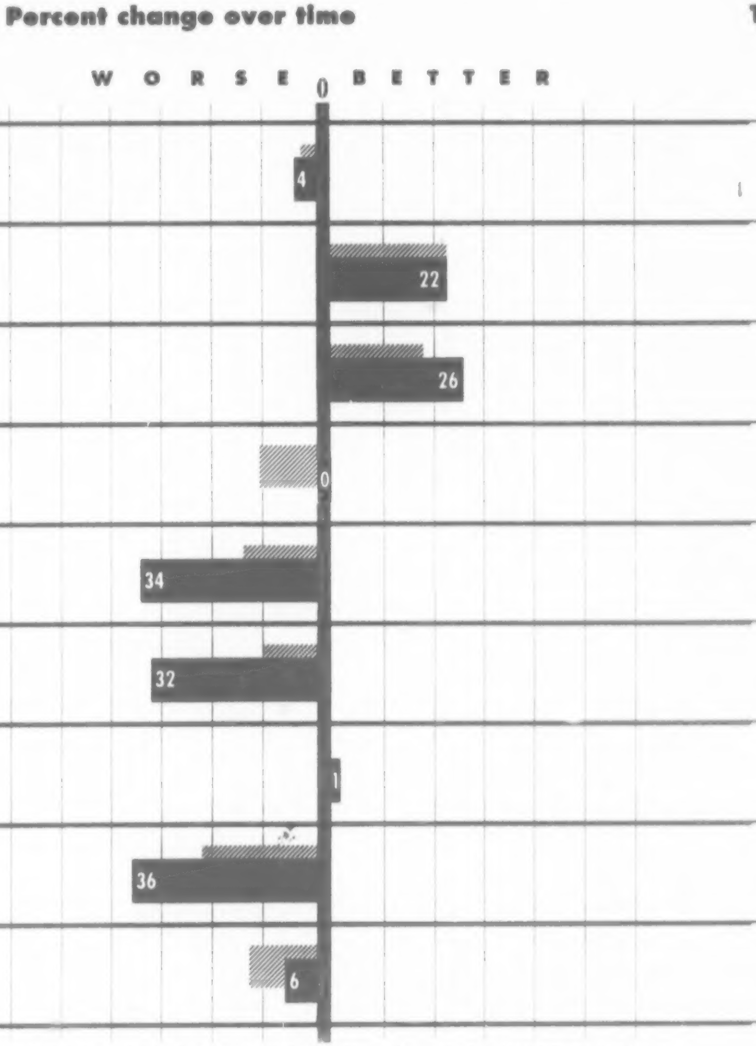
Ohio

National Composite Rank [23]

Percent change over time



Indicators		Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	6.7 7.0	6.8 7.0	[28]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	12.8 9.9	12.6 9.8	[31]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	39.6 29.5	39.5 32.4	[9]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	53.2 53.5	62.4 69.3	[9]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	7.5 10.1	7.5 8.6	[40]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	155 205	142 156	[42]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	77.5 78.5	69.7 69.6	[12]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	13.2 17.8	16.0 19.5	[25]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	20.6 21.7	21.3 24.1	[21]

Trend data

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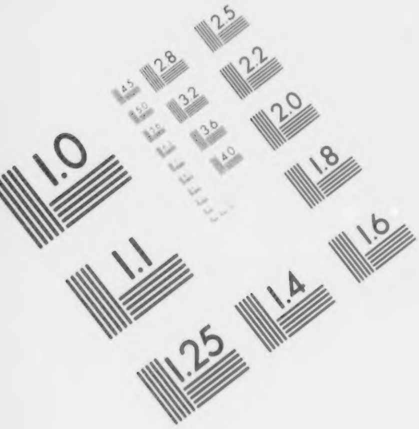

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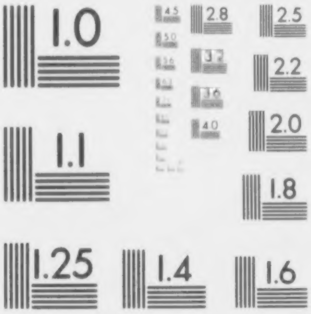

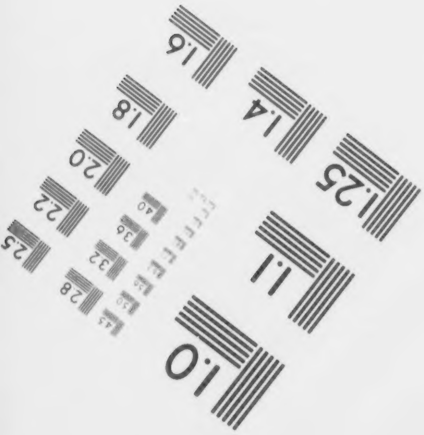

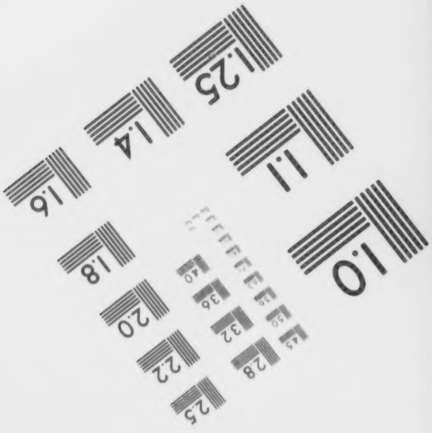

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Median income of families with children	$31,576	$30,771	$30,350	$29,956
	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90

Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth				
Top fifth	$67,470	$72,028	$74,193	$75,726
	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
Bottom fifth	$9,994	$9,292	$9,466	$9,186
	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90

AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	69.4%	65.9%	66.2%	66.3%
	1982	1989	1990	1991

Percent children without health insurance	26.0%	26.2%	26.8%	26.9%
	1980-84	1985-89	1986-90	1987-91

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Children living with their parents	780,470	764,987	**Percent children living with their parents**	91.3%	91.4%
Children living with other relatives	55,493	54,625	**Percent children living with other relatives**	6.5%	6.5%
Children living outside family	18,921	17,395	**Percent children living outside family**	2.2%	2.1%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Total population under age 18	854,884	837,007	Percent population under age 18	28.3%	26.6%
Total minority population under age 18	170,374	214,858	Percent population under age 18 that is minority	19.9%	25.7%

	1990		1990
African Americans under age 18	80,288	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	37.4%
Hispanics under age 18*	34,618	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	16.1%
Asian Americans under age 18	9,736	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	4.5%
Native Americans under age 18	94,136	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	43.8%
Other minorities under age 18	16,557	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	7.7%

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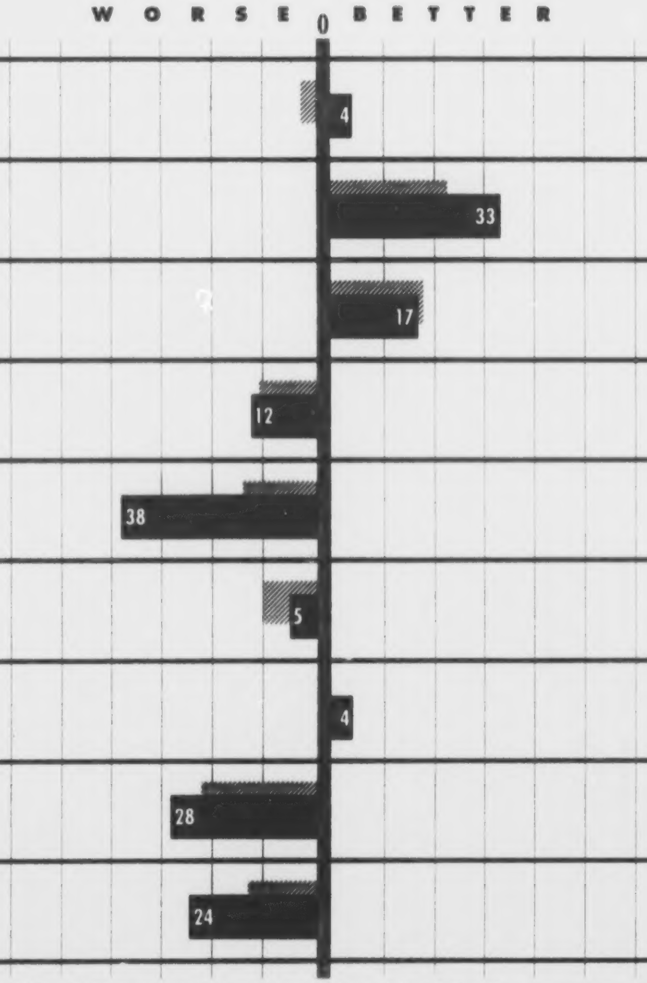
Oklahoma

National Composite Rank [24]

Percent change over time



Trend data

Indicators		Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	6.7 6.5	6.8 7.0	[21]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	12.7 8.5	12.6 9.8	[12]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	42.6 35.2	39.5 32.4	[34]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	78.2 87.9	62.4 69.3	[44]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	6.4 8.9	7.5 8.6	[32]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	84 88	142 156	[8]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	70.8 73.3	69.7 69.6	[26]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	15.7 20.1	16.0 19.5	[34]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	18.2 22.5	21.3 24.1	[24]

National rank

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Median income of families with children	$32,774 1979-83	$34,556 1984-88	$34,904 1985-89	$34,616 1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$66,262 1979-83	$73,978 1984-88	$77,532 1985-89	$79,880 1986-90
	$7,912 1979-83	$9,243 1984-88	$9,638 1985-89	$9,973 1986-90
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	74.8% 1982	78.0% 1989	78.8% 1990	78.4% 1991
Percent children without health insurance	19.3% 1980-84	18.9% 1985-89	19.3% 1986-90	20.4% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	669,166 1980	665,512 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	92.5% 1980	91.9% 1990
Children living with other relatives	31,494 1980	34,417 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	4.4% 1980	4.8% 1990
Children living outside family	22,397 1980	24,201 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	3.1% 1980	3.3% 1990

Total population under age 18	723,057 1980	724,130 1990	**Percent population under age 18**	27.5% 1980	25.5% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	66,771 1980	92,418 1990	**Percent population under age 18 that is minority**	9.2% 1980	12.8% 1990

African Americans under age 18	16,266 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	17.6% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	43,708 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	47.3% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	20,667 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	22.4% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	13,358 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	14.5% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	19,965 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	21.6% 1990

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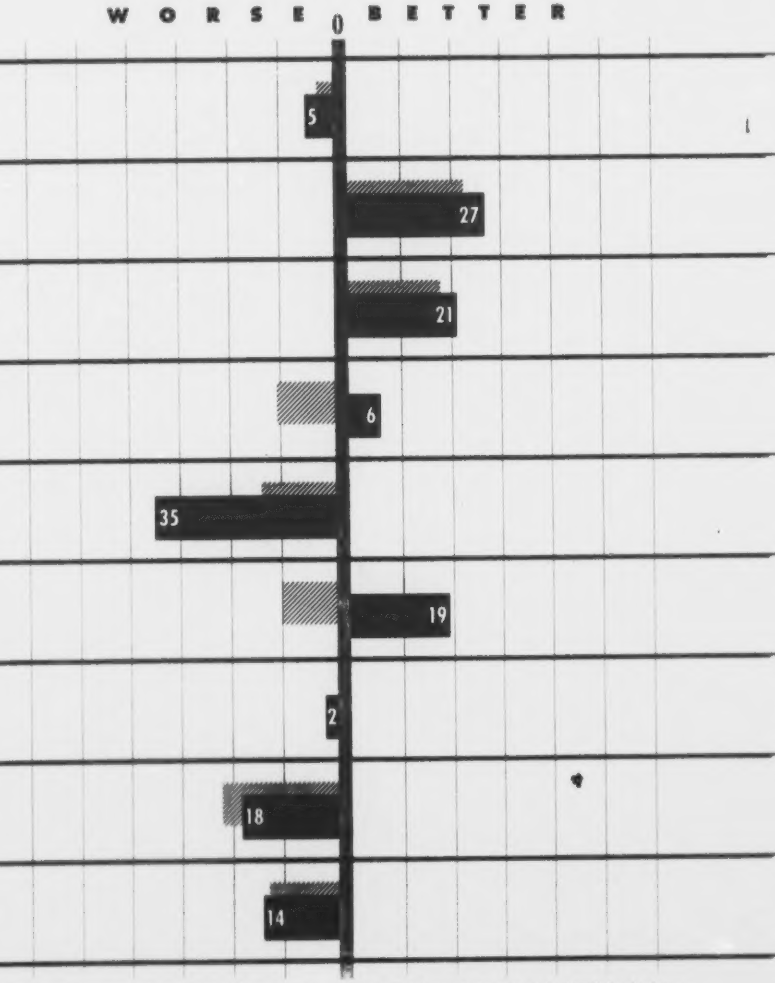
Oregon

National Composite Rank [18]

Percent change over time



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Indicators	Years	Trend data: Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	4.9 5.2	6.8 7.0	[6]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	12.2 8.9	12.6 9.8	[18]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	39.3 30.9	39.5 32.4	[17]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	79.6 74.9	62.4 69.3	[31]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	5.8 7.9	7.5 8.6	[25]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	231 188	142 156	[37]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	72.4 71.2	69.7 69.6	[31]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	12.0 14.1	16.0 19.5	[14]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	20.3 23.0	21.3 24.1	[28]

National rank is based on most recent available data

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Median income of families with children	$33,486	$34,279	$34,900	$34,955
	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90

Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$69,105	$74,017	$76,045	$78,004
	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
	$8,945	$8,457	$8,643	$8,820
	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90

AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	75.3%	72.0%	73.6%	72.0%
	1982	1989	1990	1991

Percent children without health insurance	16.0%	13.0%	12.8%	13.1%
	1980-84	1985-89	1986-90	1987-91

Children living with their parents	2,891,674	2,549,092	**Percent children living with their parents**	92.6%	91.2%
	1980	1990		1980	1990
Children living with other relatives	176,676	185,930	**Percent children living with other relatives**	5.7%	6.7%
	1980	1990		1980	1990
Children living outside family	54,946	59,788	**Percent children living outside family**	1.8%	2.1%
	1980	1990		1980	1990

Total population under age 18	3,123,296	2,794,810	**Percent population under age 18**	26.3%	23.5%
	1980	1990		1980	1990
Total minority population under age 18	434,624	448,880	**Percent population under age 18 that is minority**	13.9%	16.1%
	1980	1990		1980	1990

African Americans under age 18	320,110	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	71.3%
	1990		1990
Hispanics under age 18*	86,222	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	19.2%
	1990		1990
Asian Americans under age 18	42,051	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	9.4%
	1990		1990
Native Americans under age 18	3,817	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	0.9%
	1990		1990
Other minorities under age 18	50,512	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	11.3%
	1990		1990

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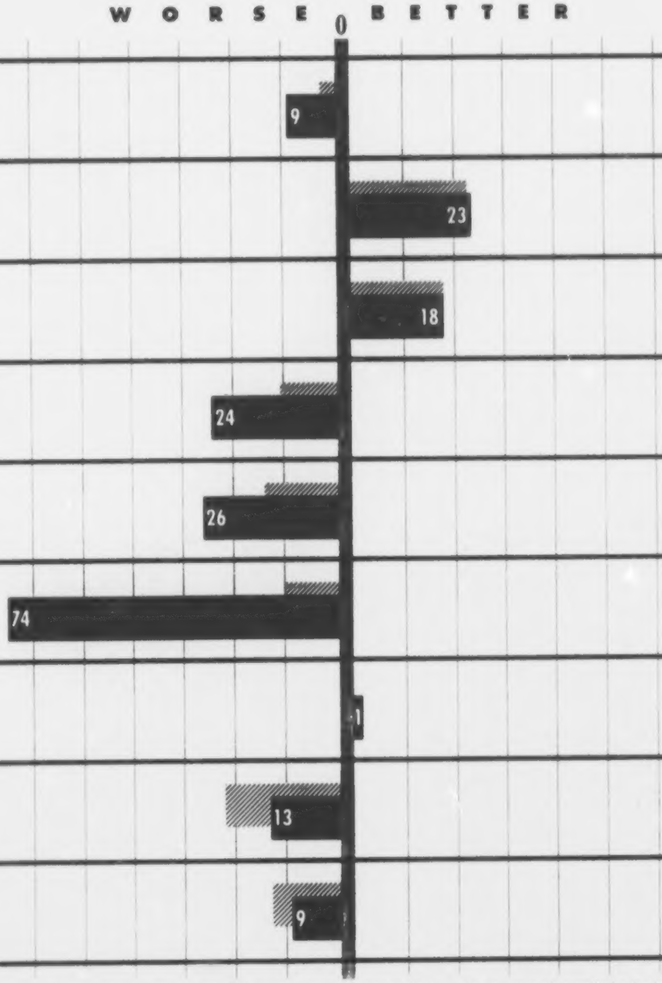
Pennsylvania

National Composite Rank [19]

Percent change over time



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Indicators		Trend data Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980	6.5	6.8	[30]
		1989	7.1	7.0	
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980	13.2	12.6	[34]
		1989	10.2	9.8	
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980	34.2	39.5	[6]
		1989	28.1	32.4	
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984	48.1	62.4	[14]
		1989	59.6	69.3	
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980	7.1	7.5	[32]
		1989	8.9	8.6	
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985	113	142	[40]
		1989	197	156	
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982	76.0	69.7	[16]
		1989	76.9	69.6	
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979	13.9	16.0	[20]
		1986-90	15.6	19.5	
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84	18.7	21.3	[16]
		1987-91	20.3	24.1	

National rank is based on most recent available data

Median income of families with children	$31,787 1979-83	$37,616 1984-88	$38,901 1985-89	$38,957 1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$66,321 1979-83	$74,603 1984-88	$75,939 1985-89	$77,680 1986-90
	$8,499 1979-83	$7,458 1984-88	$7,631 1985-89	$7,914 1986-90
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	89.7% 1982	81.6% 1989	81.1% 1990	79.9% 1991
Percent children without health insurance	14.6% 1980-84	13.0% 1985-89	12.1% 1986-90	11.8% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	228,826 1980	210,156 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	94.2% 1980	93.1% 1990
Children living with other relatives	10,109 1980	11,387 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	4.2% 1980	5.0% 1990
Children living outside family	3,916 1980	4,147 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	1.6% 1980	1.8% 1990

Total population under age 18	242,851 1980	225,690 1990	Percent population under age 18	25.6% 1980	22.5% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	22,775 1980	36,867 1990	Percent population under age 18 that is minority	9.4% 1980	16.3% 1990

African Americans under age 18	13,144 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	35.7% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	16,107 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	43.7% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	6,304 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	17.1% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	1,361 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	3.7% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	8,982 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	24.4% 1990

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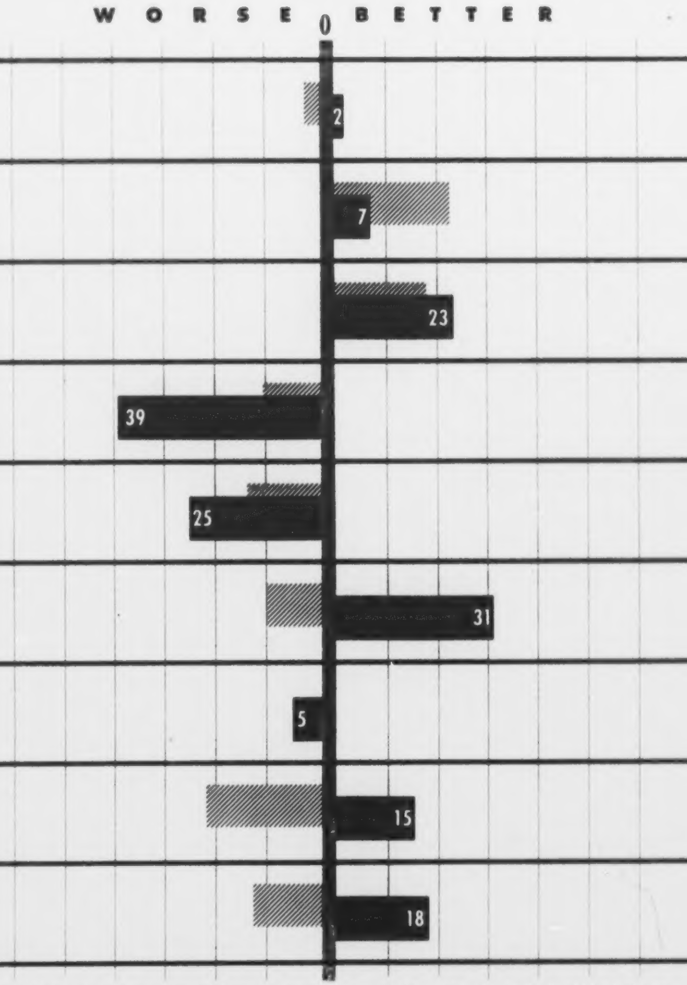
Rhode Island

National Composite Rank [12]

Percent change over time



Indicators			Trend data Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980	1989	1980 1989	6.3 6.2	6.8 7.0	[19]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980	1989	1980 1989	11.0 10.2	12.6 9.8	[34]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980	1989	1980 1989	32.7 25.3	39.5 32.4	[3]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984	1989	1984 1989	33.8 47.1	62.4 69.3	[7]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980	1989	1980 1989	6.3 7.9	7.5 8.6	[25]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985	1989	1985 1989	173 120	142 156	[18]
Percent graduating high school	1982	1989	1982 1989	73.6 69.8	69.7 69.6	[33]
Percent children in poverty	1979	1986-90	1979 1986-90	13.6 11.5	16.0 19.5	[3]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84	1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	23.0 19.0	21.3 24.1	[12]

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Median income of families with children	$26,156 1979-83	$30,716 1984-88	$30,536 1985-89	$31,042 1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$66,078 1979-83	$70,317 1984-88	$71,381 1985-89	$72,906 1986-90
	$9,490 1979-83	$9,203 1984-88	$9,116 1985-89	$9,664 1986-90
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	52.3% 1987	54.4% 1989	54.8% 1990	54.3% 1991
Percent children without health insurance	26.1% 1980-84	18.7% 1985-89	20.0% 1986-90	21.5% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	822,058 1980	800,030 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	87.3% 1980	86.9% 1990
Children living with other relatives	102,734 1980	102,390 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	10.9% 1980	11.1% 1990
Children living outside family	17,174 1980	17,787 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	1.8% 1980	1.9% 1990

Total population under age 18	941,966 1980	920,207 1990	Percent population under age 18	30.2% 1980	26.4% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	365,871 1980	366,065 1990	Percent population under age 18 that is minority	38.8% 1980	39.8% 1990

African Americans under age 18	348,844 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	95.3% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	9,742 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	2.7% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	6,596 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	1.8% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	2,333 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	0.6% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	2,938 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	0.8% 1990

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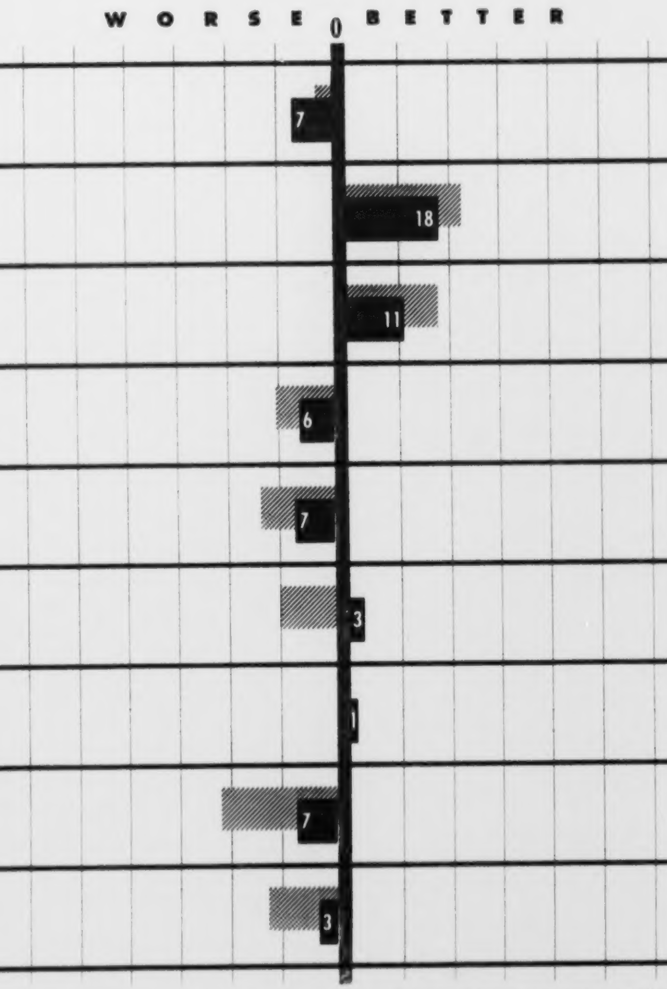
South Carolina

National Composite Rank [48]

Percent change over time



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Indicators		Trend data: Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	8.6 9.2	6.8 7.0	[49]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	15.6 12.8	12.6 9.8	[50]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	45.4 40.3	39.5 32.4	[47]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	66.2 70.0	62.4 69.3	[26]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	11.2 12.0	7.5 8.6	[48]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	151 146	142 156	[25]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	63.8 64.5	69.7 69.6	[41]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	21.0 22.4	16.0 19.5	[40]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	25.5 26.3	21.3 24.1	[40]

National rank is based on most recent available data

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Median income of families with children	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
	$27,796	$29,758	$30,049	$30,983

Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
	$66,874	$74,437	$77,673	$79,187
	$8,685	$8,909	$9,075	$9,362

AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	1982	1989	1990	1991
	70.4%	67.2%	68.0%	68.0%

Percent children without health insurance	1980-84	1985-89	1986-90	1987-91
	28.1%	20.9%	20.0%	19.1%

	1980	1990
Children living with their parents	193,063	186,686
Percent children living with their parents	93.9%	94.1%
Children living with other relatives	8,786	7,747
Percent children living with other relatives	4.3%	3.9%
Children living outside family	3,757	4,029
Percent children living outside family	1.8%	2.0%

	1980	1990
Total population under age 18	205,606	198,462
Percent population under age 18	29.8%	28.5%
Total minority population under age 18	25,183	27,628
Percent population under age 18 that is minority	12.2%	13.9%

	1990		1990
African Americans under age 18	1,239	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	4.5%
Hispanics under age 18*	2,318	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	8.4%
Asian Americans under age 18	1,125	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	4.1%
Native Americans under age 18	23,489	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	85.0%
Other minorities under age 18	585	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	2.1%

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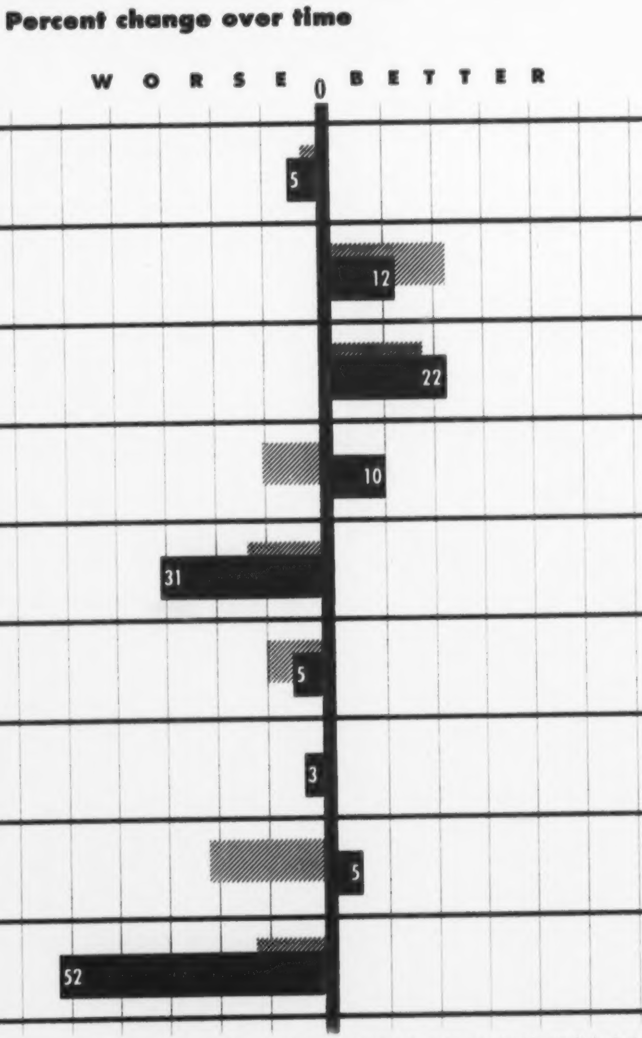
South Dakota

National Composite Rank [31]



Indicators		Trend data Year	State	National	National rank (National rank is based on most recent available data)
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	5.1 5.4	6.8 7.0	[7]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	10.9 9.6	12.6 9.8	[28]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	47.9 37.4	39.5 32.4	[39]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	87.3 78.4	62.4 69.3	[36]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	5.7 7.5	7.5 8.6	[22]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	308 322	142 156	[48]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	82.7 80.0	69.7 69.6	[9]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	20.0 19.0	16.0 19.5	[31]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	13.1 19.9	21.3 24.1	[13]

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Median income of families with children	$27,679 1979-83	$28,431 1984-88	$29,301 1985-89	$29,055 1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$65,565 1979-83	$74,289 1984-88	$75,327 1985-89	$75,209 1986-90
	$9,331 1979-83	$9,289 1984-88	$9,374 1985-89	$9,089 1986-90
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	50.0% 1982	52.0% 1989	53.9% 1990	51.9% 1991
Percent children without health insurance	21.0% 1980-84	21.9% 1985-89	20.9% 1986-90	20.3% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	1,160,616 1980	1,087,456 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	89.4% 1980	89.4% 1990
Children living with other relatives	113,591 1980	104,474 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	8.7% 1980	8.6% 1990
Children living outside family	24,353 1980	24,674 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	1.9% 1980	2.0% 1990

Total population under age 18	1,298,560 1980	1,216,604 1990	Percent population under age 18	28.3% 1980	24.9% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	272,910 1980	273,881 1990	Percent population under age 18 that is minority	21.0% 1980	22.5% 1990

African Americans under age 18	252,175 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	92.1% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	10,275 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	3.8% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	9,584 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	3.5% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	2,487 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	0.9% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	3,160 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	1.2% 1990

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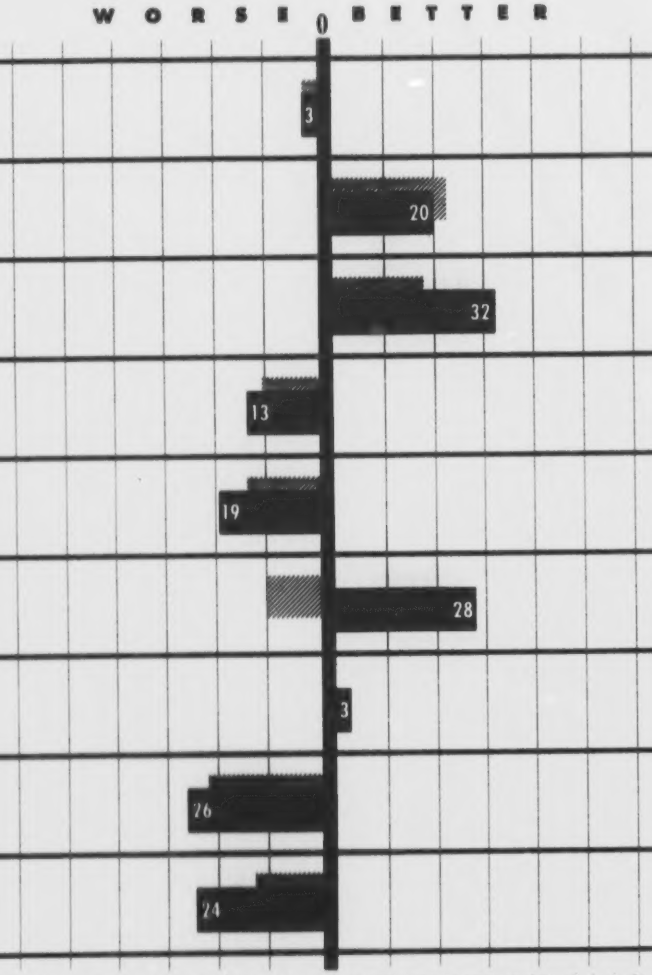
Tennessee

National Composite Rank [38]

Percent change over time



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Indicators		Trend data: Year	State	National	National rank (National rank is based on most recent available data)
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980	8.0	6.8	[44]
		1989	8.2	7.0	
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980	13.5	12.6	[40]
		1989	10.8	9.8	
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980	44.0	39.5	[13]
		1989	29.9	32.4	
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984	67.3	62.4	[34]
		1989	75.8	69.3	
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980	8.7	7.5	[41]
		1989	10.3	8.6	
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985	108	142	[4]
		1989	78	156	
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982	67.8	69.7	[34]
		1989	69.6	69.6	
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979	20.6	16.0	[45]
		1986-90	26.0	19.5	
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84	23.1	21.3	[44]
		1987-91	28.5	24.1	

	1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
Median income of families with children	$32,654	$32,576	$32,354	$32,053
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$71,678	$75,765	$78,186	$79,144
	$9,244	$9,312	$9,294	$9,420

	1982	1989	1990	1991
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	48.3%	51.7%	52.3%	51.5%

	1980-84	1985-89	1986-90	1987-91
Percent children without health insurance	27.9%	30.2%	30.4%	30.4%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Children living with their parents	3,891,778	4,316,686	**Percent children living with their parents**	90.4%	89.3%
Children living with other relatives	332,502	422,230	**Percent children living with other relatives**	7.7%	8.7%
Children living outside family	81,826	96,923	**Percent children living outside family**	1.9%	2.0%

	1980	1990		1980	1990
Total population under age 18	4,306,106	4,835,839	**Percent population under age 18**	30.3%	28.5%
Total minority population under age 18	1,888,703	2,372,511	**Percent population under age 18 that is minority**	43.9%	49.1%

	1990		1990
African Americans under age 18	657,862	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	27.7%
Hispanics under age 18*	1,620,319	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	68.3%
Asian Americans under age 18	96,276	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	4.1%
Native Americans under age 18	18,621	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	0.8%
Other minorities under age 18	688,740	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	29.0%

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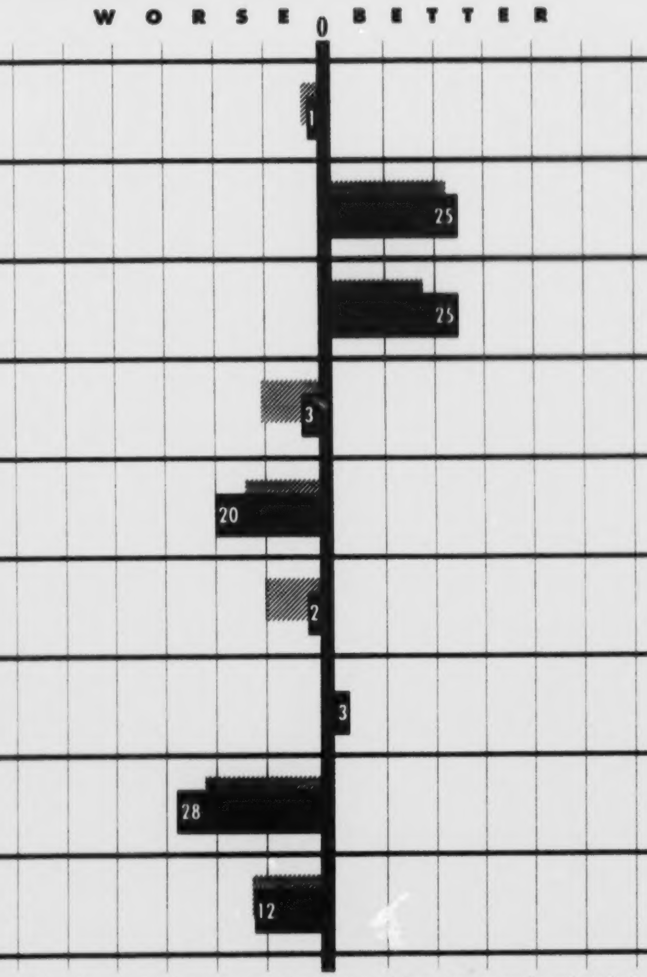
Texas

National Composite Rank [33]

Percent change over time



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Indicators	Years	**Trend data** Year	State	National	**National rank** *National rank is based on most recent available data*
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980	6.9	6.8	[28]
		1989	7.0	7.0	
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980	12.2	12.6	[20]
		1989	9.2	9.8	
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980	45.6	39.5	[32]
		1989	34.3	32.4	
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984	75.8	62.4	[35]
		1989	78.1	69.3	
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980	6.1	7.5	[19]
		1989	7.4	8.6	
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985	101	142	[16]
		1989	103	156	
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982	63.6	69.7	[39]
		1989	65.5	69.6	
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979	18.7	16.0	[43]
		1986-90	24.0	19.5	
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84	19.5	21.3	[22]
		1987-91	21.9	24.1	

Median income of families with children	$32,791 1979-83	$33,819 1984-88	$34,539 1985-89	$35,101 1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$69,201 1979-83	$71,594 1984-88	$73,434 1985-89	$74,557 1986-90
	$10,334 1979-83	$10,498 1984-88	$10,755 1985-89	$10,958 1986-90
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	77.4% 1982	69.4% 1989	69.5% 1990	69.3% 1991
Percent children without health insurance	16.9% 1980-84	13.4% 1985-89	12.8% 1986-90	12.8% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	512,737 1980	598,039 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	94.9% 1980	95.3% 1990
Children living with other relatives	17,470 1980	19,951 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	3.2% 1980	3.2% 1990
Children living outside family	9,898 1980	9,454 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	1.8% 1980	1.5% 1990

Total population under age 18	540,105 1980	627,444 1990	**Percent population under age 18**	37.0% 1980	36.4% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	47,689 1980	60,797 1990	**Percent population under age 18 that is minority**	8.8% 1980	9.7% 1990

African Americans under age 18	4,144 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	6.8% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	35,108 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	57.7% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	11,747 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	19.3% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	10,857 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	17.9% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	15,306 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	25.2% 1990

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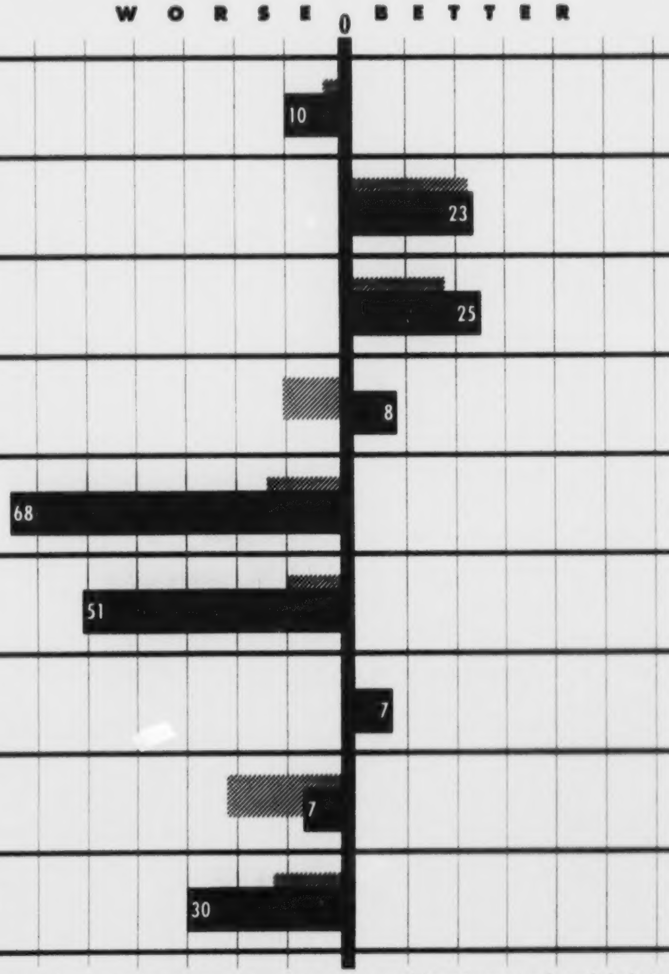
Utah

National Composite Rank [3]

Percent change over time



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Indicators		Trend data Year	State	National	National rank (National rank is based on most recent available data)
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	5.2 5.7	6.8 7.0	[13]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	10.4 8.0	12.6 9.8	[6]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	43.1 32.5	39.5 32.4	[26]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	66.1 60.7	62.4 69.3	[17]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	2.8 4.7	7.5 8.6	[1]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	53 80	142 156	[5]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	75.0 79.9	69.7 69.6	[10]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	10.7 11.5	16.0 19.5	[3]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	11.9 15.5	21.3 24.1	[5]

Median income of families with children	$30,340 1979-83	$33,758 1984-88	$35,690 1985-89	$36,640 1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$64,839 1979-83	$73,505 1984-88	$77,555 1985-89	$79,091 1986-90
	$10,288 1979-83	$9,322 1984-88	$9,427 1985-89	$9,029 1986-90
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	89.0% 1982	88.6% 1989	88.7% 1990	87.2% 1991
Percent children without health insurance	15.2% 1980-84	16.2% 1985-89	14.6% 1986-90	13.5% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	136,465 1980	134,925 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	93.9% 1980	94.3% 1990
Children living with other relatives	5,127 1980	4,409 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	3.5% 1980	3.1% 1990
Children living outside family	3,726 1980	3,749 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	2.6% 1980	2.6% 1990

Total population under age 18	145,318 1980	143,083 1990	Percent population under age 18	28.4% 1980	25.4% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	2,503 1980	3,436 1990	Percent population under age 18 that is minority	1.7% 1980	2.4% 1990

African Americans under age 18	690 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	20.1% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	1,103 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	32.1% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	1,038 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	30.2% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	542 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	15.8% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	316 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	9.2% 1990

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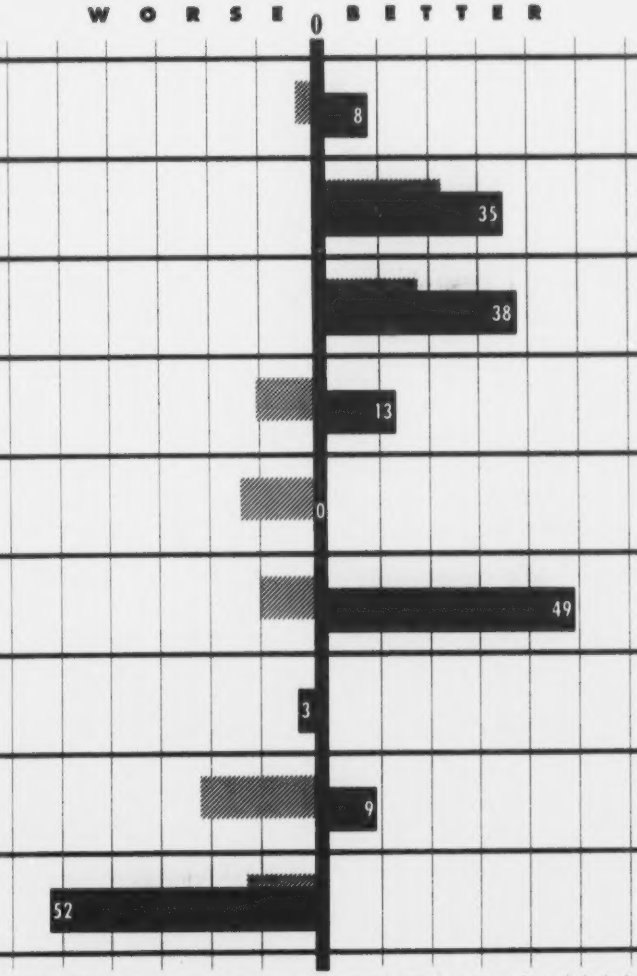
Vermont

National Composite Rank [5]

Percent change over time



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Indicators		Trend data Year	State	National	National rank (National rank is based on most recent available data)
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980	5.9	6.8	[7]
		1989	5.4	7.0	
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980	10.7	12.6	[1]
		1989	6.9	9.8	
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980	51.5	39.5	[23]
		1989	31.8	32.4	
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984	52.3	62.4	[5]
		1989	45.2	69.3	
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980	5.7	7.5	[4]
		1989	5.7	8.6	
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985	123	142	[2]
		1989	63	156	
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982	79.6	69.7	[14]
		1989	77.4	69.6	
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979	13.9	16.0	[6]
		1986-90	12.7	19.5	
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84	13.4	21.3	[16]
		1987-91	20.3	24.1	

Median income of families with children	$34,951 1979-83	$38,850 1984-88	$39,765 1985-89	$39,653 1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$66,985 1979-83	$80,120 1984-88	$82,177 1985-89	$82,801 1986-90
	$9,621 1979-83	$8,896 1984-88	$9,087 1985-89	$9,086 1986-90
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	70.4% 1982	66.4% 1989	66.7% 1990	65.5% 1991
Percent children without health insurance	16.6% 1980-84	16.3% 1985-89	16.6% 1986-90	18.0% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	1,335,294 1980	1,356,283 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	90.6% 1980	90.1% 1990
Children living with other relatives	110,472 1980	115,489 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	7.5% 1980	7.7% 1990
Children living outside family	28,568 1980	32,966 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	1.9% 1980	2.2% 1990

Total population under age 18	1,474,334 1980	1,504,738 1990	Percent population under age 18	27.6% 1980	24.3% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	383,490 1980	432,271 1990	Percent population under age 18 that is minority	26.0% 1980	28.7% 1990

African Americans under age 18	339,744 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	78.6% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	46,948 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	10.9% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	45,131 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	10.4% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	3,602 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	0.8% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	17,934 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	4.1% 1990

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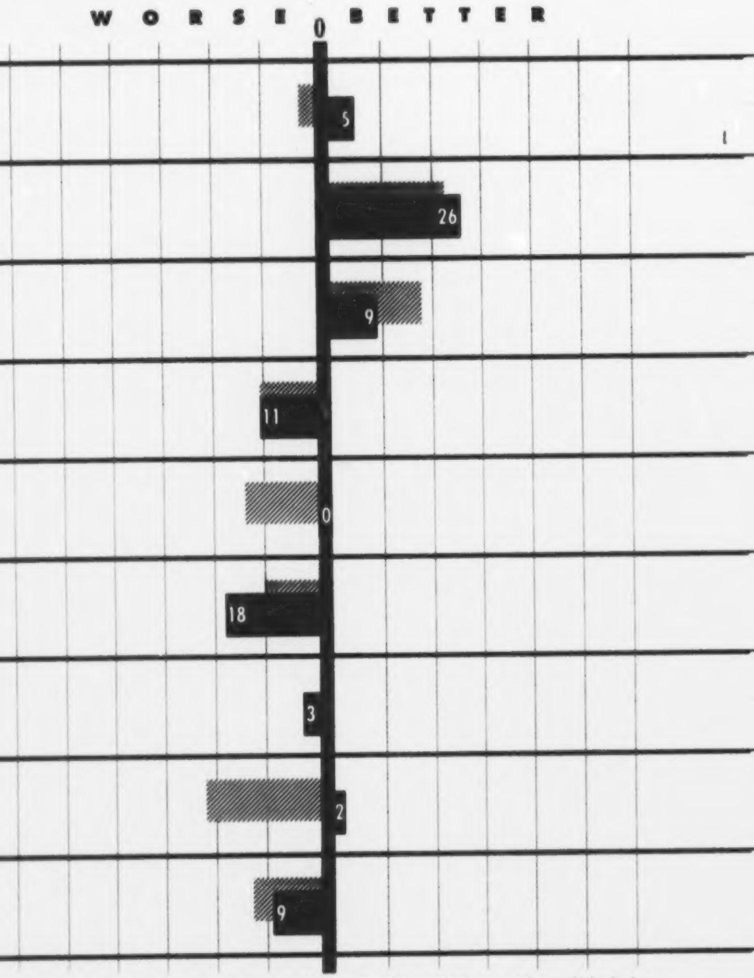
Virginia

National Composite Rank [22]

Percent change over time



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Indicators		Trend data Year	State	National	National rank (National rank is based on most recent available data)
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980	7.5	6.8	[30]
		1989	7.1	7.0	
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980	13.6	12.6	[33]
		1989	10.0	9.8	
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980	34.1	39.5	[19]
		1989	31.2	32.4	
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984	54.6	62.4	[16]
		1989	60.5	69.3	
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980	7.9	7.5	[25]
		1989	7.9	8.6	
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985	133	142	[28]
		1989	157	156	
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982	73.8	69.7	[30]
		1989	71.3	69.6	
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979	14.9	16.0	[16]
		1986-90	14.6	19.5	
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84	22.5	21.3	[33]
		1987-91	24.5	24.1	

Median income of families with children

$35,544	$35,621	$36,294	$37,513
1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90

Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth

$71,336	$75,518	$77,113	$77,283
1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90
$8,865	$8,560	$9,133	$9,474
1979-83	1984-88	1985-89	1986-90

AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty

85.8%	79.8%	80.5%	80.7%
1982	1989	1990	1991

Percent children without health insurance

18.7%	16.3%	15.1%	14.5%
1980-84	1985-89	1986-90	1987-91

Children living with their parents

1,062,684	1,168,168
1980	1990

Percent children living with their parents

93.3%	92.6%
1980	1990

Children living with other relatives

46,846	55,118
1980	1990

Percent children living with other relatives

4.1%	4.4%
1980	1990

Children living outside family

29,830	38,101
1980	1990

Percent children living outside family

2.6%	3.0%
1980	1990

Total population under age 18

1,139,360	1,261,387
1980	1990

Percent population under age 18

27.6%	25.9%
1980	1990

Total minority population under age 18

147,786	225,955
1980	1990

Percent population under age 18 that is minority

13.0%	17.9%
1980	1990

African Americans under age 18	50,274 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	22.2% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	86,173 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	38.1% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	64,491 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	28.5% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	29,412 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	13.0% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	47,742 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	21.1% 1990

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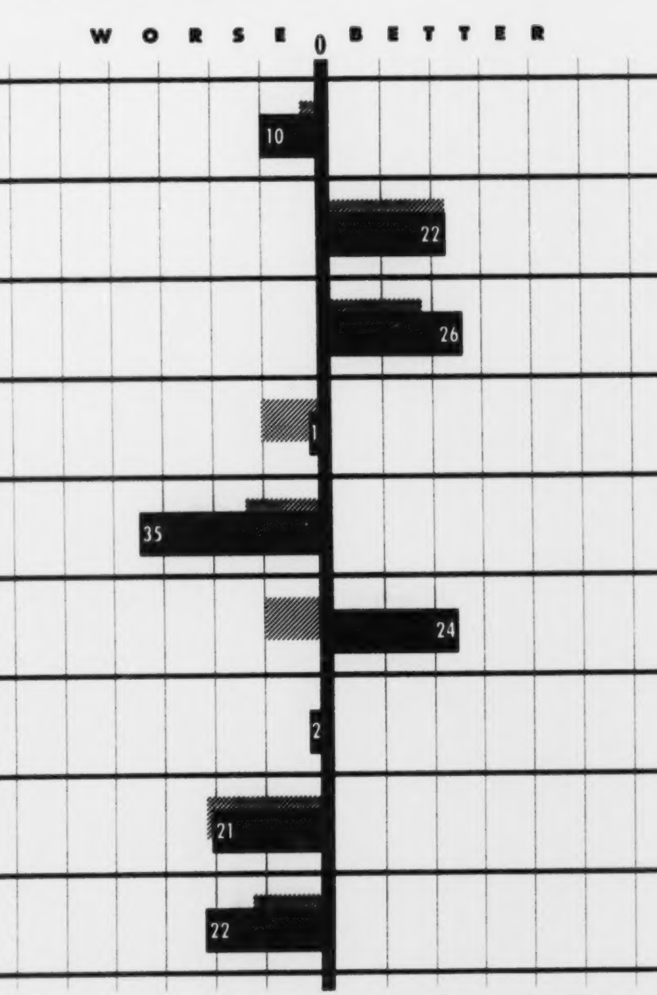
Washington

National Composite Rank [14]

Percent change over time



Indicators		Year	State	National	National rank
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980	5.1	6.8	[12]
		1989	5.6	7.0	
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980	11.8	12.6	[20]
		1989	9.2	9.8	
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980	37.3	39.5	[5]
		1989	27.6	32.4	
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984	66.2	62.4	[23]
		1989	67.0	69.3	
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980	5.4	7.5	[18]
		1989	7.3	8.6	
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985	150	142	[17]
		1989	114	156	
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982	76.1	69.7	[20]
		1989	74.7	69.6	
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979	11.5	16.0	[12]
		1986-90	13.9	19.5	
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84	18.1	21.3	[23]
		1987-91	22.0	24.1	

Trend data

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Median income of families with children	$26,655 1979-83	$23,511 1984-88	$24,149 1985-89	$25,488 1986-90

Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$64,382 1979-83	$70,903 1984-88	$69,996 1985-89	$72,667 1986-90
	$9,310 1979-83	$8,558 1984-88	$8,310 1985-89	$8,095 1986-90

AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	60.3% 1982	59.6% 1989	60.2% 1990	59.4% 1991

Percent children without health insurance	23.1% 1980-84	20.1% 1985-89	19.0% 1986-90	19.3% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	513,647 1980	408,638 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	91.8% 1980	92.1% 1990
Children living with other relatives	37,205 1980	27,154 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	6.6% 1980	6.1% 1990
Children living outside family	8,784 1980	7,785 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	1.6% 1980	1.8% 1990

Total population under age 18	559,636 1980	443,577 1990	**Percent population under age 18**	28.7% 1980	24.7% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	26,913 1980	21,872 1990	**Percent population under age 18 that is minority**	4.8% 1980	4.9% 1990

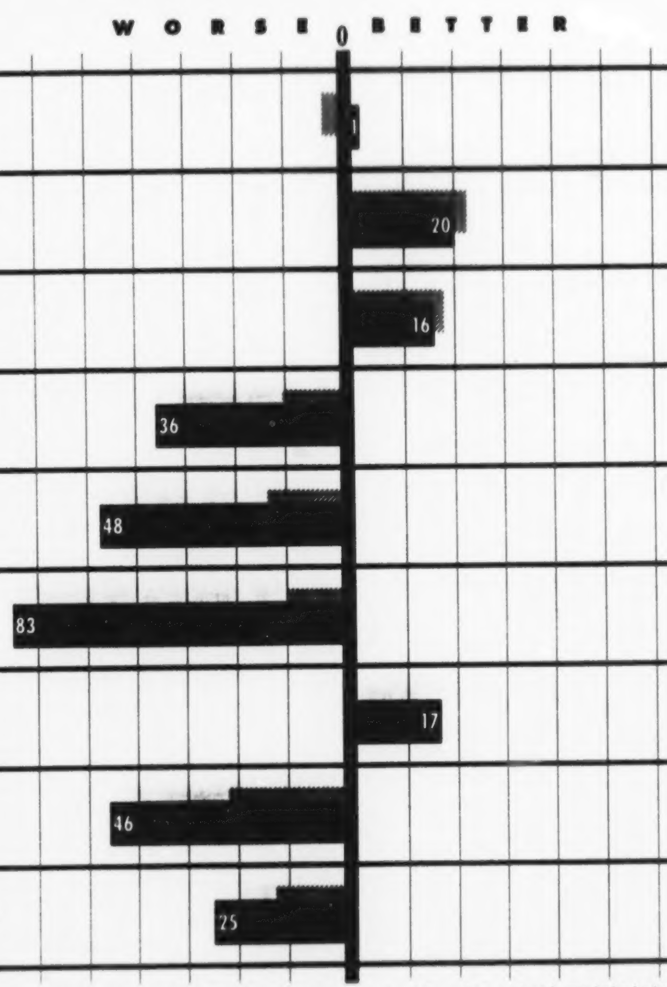
African Americans under age 18	16,329 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	74.7% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	2,587 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	11.8% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	2,184 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	10.0% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	589 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	2.7% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	731 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	3.3% 1990

*People of Hispanic origin can be of any race

West Virginia

National Composite Rank [30]

Percent change over time



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Indicators		Trend data Year	State	National	National rank *National rank is based on most recent available data*
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	6.7 6.6	6.8 7.0	[22]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	11.8 9.4	12.6 9.8	[26]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	39.5 33.2	39.5 32.4	[28]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	65.6 89.0	62.4 69.3	[46]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	6.3 9.3	7.5 8.6	[35]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	41 75	142 156	[3]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	66.3 77.6	69.7 69.6	[13]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	18.5 26.9	16.0 19.5	[46]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	17.2 21.5	21.3 24.1	[20]

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Median income of families with children	$36,527 1979-83	$36,000 1984-88	$37,401 1985-89	$38,636 1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$66,298 1979-83	$69,972 1984-88	$71,702 1985-89	$73,238 1986-90
	$9,552 1979-83	$9,342 1984-88	$9,626 1985-89	$10,053 1986-90
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	88.8% 1982	80.8% 1989	80.5% 1990	78.5% 1991
Percent children without health insurance	9.8% 1980-84	9.6% 1985-89	10.2% 1986-90	10.9% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	1,294,300 1980	1,214,643 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	95.3% 1980	94.2% 1990
Children living with other relatives	42,896 1980	47,600 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	3.2% 1980	3.7% 1990
Children living outside family	20,624 1980	26,739 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	1.5% 1980	2.1% 1990

Total population under age 18	1,357,820 1980	1,288,982 1990	Percent population under age 18	28.9% 1980	26.4% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	125,410 1980	174,213 1990	Percent population under age 18 that is minority	9.2% 1980	13.5% 1990

African Americans under age 18	98,097 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	56.3% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	39,342 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	22.6% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	22,966 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	13.2% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	15,115 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	8.7% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	18,315 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	10.5% 1990

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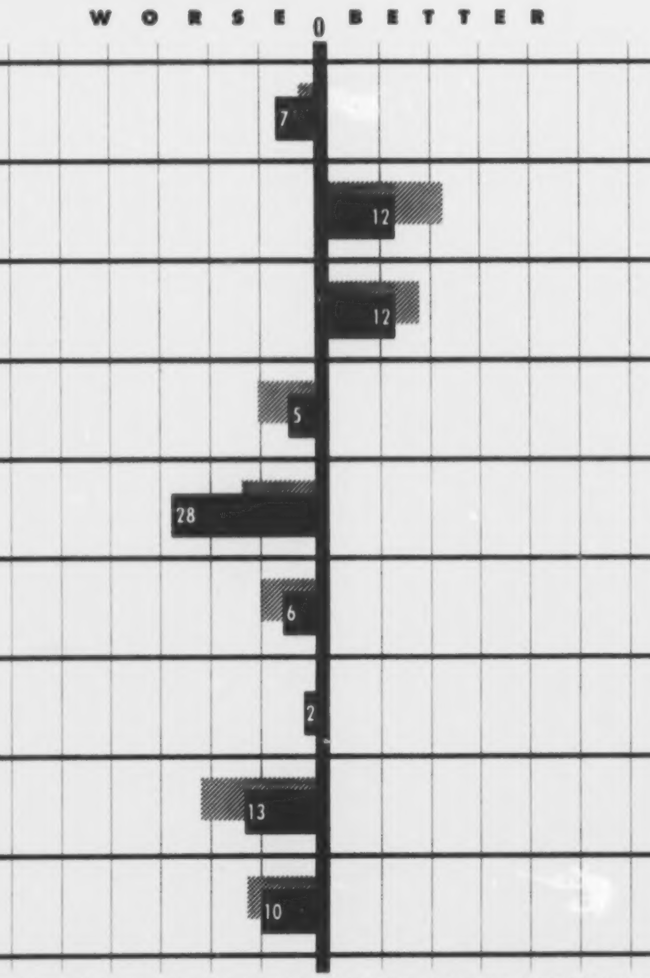
Wisconsin

National Composite Rank [9]

Percent change over time



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Indicators	Years	Trend data: Year	State	National	National rank (National rank is based on most recent available data)
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	5.4 5.8	6.8 7.0	[14]
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	10.3 9.1	12.6 9.8	[19]
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	33.8 29.8	39.5 32.4	[12]
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984 1989	57.2 60.2	62.4 69.3	[15]
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980 1989	6.2 8.0	7.5 8.6	[28]
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985 1989	147 156	142 156	[27]
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982 1989	83.1 81.1	69.7 69.6	[8]
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979 1986-90	10.4 11.8	16.0 19.5	[5]
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84 1987-91	15.8 17.5	21.3 24.1	[8]

Median income of families with children	$37,610 1979-83	$36,278 1984-88	$37,265 1985-89	$36,620 1986-90
Median income of families with children in the top and bottom fifth	$66,399 1979-83	$72,611 1984-88	$74,157 1985-89	$77,100 1986-90
	$8,536 1979-83	$9,633 1984-88	$9,938 1985-89	$9,721 1986-90
AFDC and Food Stamp benefits as percent of poverty	73.1% 1982	65.0% 1989	65.3% 1990	64.2% 1991
Percent children without health insurance	19.0% 1980-84	17.5% 1985-89	16.2% 1986-90	15.1% 1987-91

Children living with their parents	135,610 1980	128,200 1990	**Percent children living with their parents**	93.2% 1980	94.6% 1990
Children living with other relatives	6,628 1980	4,317 1990	**Percent children living with other relatives**	4.6% 1980	3.2% 1990
Children living outside family	3,315 1980	3,008 1990	**Percent children living outside family**	2.3% 1980	2.2% 1990

Total population under age 18	145,553 1980	135,525 1990	Percent population under age 18	31.0% 1980	29.9% 1990
Total minority population under age 18	15,218 1980	15,947 1990	Percent population under age 18 that is minority	10.5% 1980	11.8% 1990

African Americans under age 18	1,270 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is African-American	8.0% 1990
Hispanics under age 18*	10,365 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Hispanic*	65.0% 1990
Asian Americans under age 18	821 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Asian-American	5.1% 1990
Native Americans under age 18	3,905 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is Native American	24.5% 1990
Other minorities under age 18	3,962 1990	Percent minority population under age 18 that is other minorities	24.8% 1990

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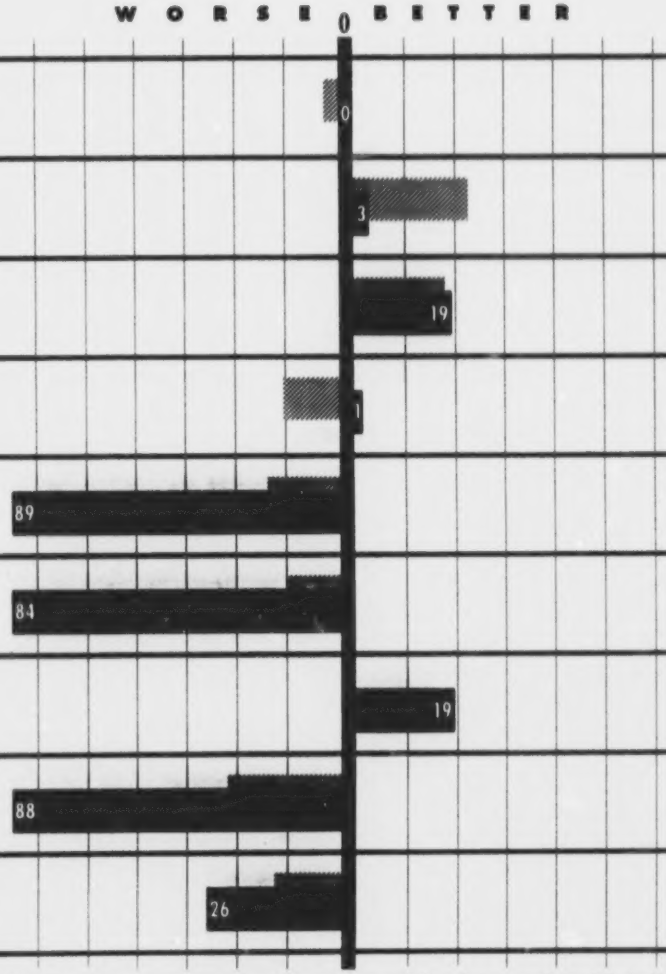
Wyoming

National Composite Rank [25]

Percent change over time



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Indicators		Trend data: Year	State	National	National rank (National rank is based on most recent available data)
Percent low birth weight babies	1980 | 1989	1980	7.3	6.8	[34]
		1989	7.3	7.0	
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1980 | 1989	1980	9.8	12.6	[26]
		1989	9.4	9.8	
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1980 | 1989	1980	47.7	39.5	[43]
		1989	38.5	32.4	
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1984 | 1989	1984	89.5	62.4	[45]
		1989	88.2	69.3	
Percent all births that are to single teens	1980 | 1989	1980	3.7	7.5	[12]
		1989	7.0	8.6	
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1985 | 1989	1985	177	142	[49]
		1989	326	156	
Percent graduating high school	1982 | 1989	1982	72.4	69.7	[5]
		1989	85.9	69.6	
Percent children in poverty	1979 | 1986-90	1979	7.7	16.0	[15]
		1986-90	14.5	19.5	
Percent children in single-parent families	1980-84 | 1987-91	1980-84	13.0	21.3	[7]
		1987-91	16.4	24.1	

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National Goals and Performance for Children

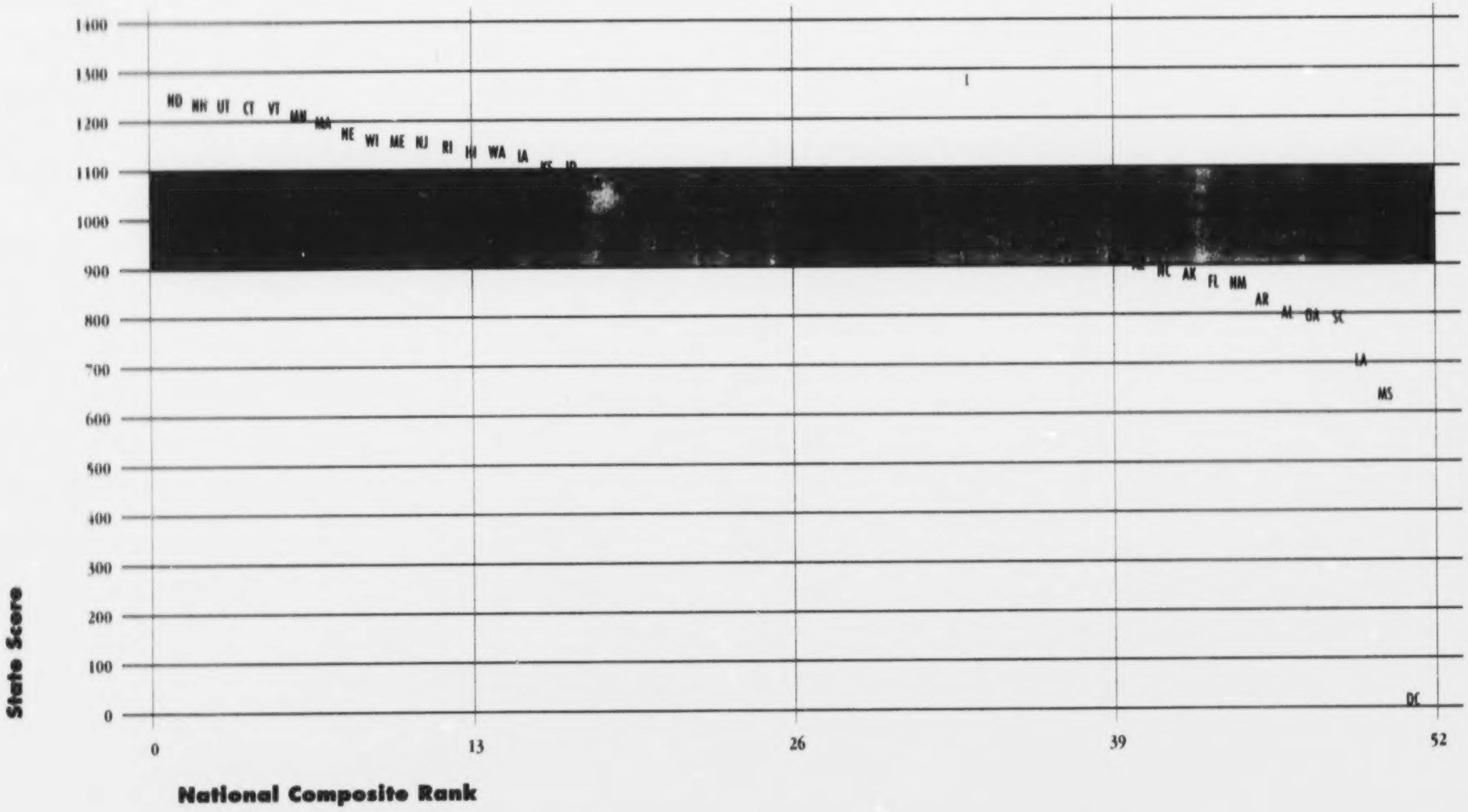
The White House and nation's governors through the National Education Goals Task Force have developed six national education performance goals for the year 2000. Similarly, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, in *Healthy People 2000: National Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Objectives*, has set out national health goals for children. In the chart below, current national data for KIDS COUNT indicators are compared with related goals for the year 2000. Projections have been made in order to ascertain whether or not the goals are likely to be met. The projections assume that the rate of change over the 1980s will continue over the 1990s.

For the four KIDS COUNT indicators for which there are national performance goals, only one—the Child Death Rate—will be met if current trends continue. Unfortunately, there are no widely agreed to national goals yet established for five of the KIDS COUNT measures of the status of children.

Indicators	**National Goals** **By the year 2000**	**National data** **Year**	 **Data**	**Year 2000 performance** **Will the goal be reached?**
Percent low birth weight babies	**Reduce low birth weight to an incidence of no more than 5% of live births.** **Reduce low birth weight to an incidence of no more than 9% of African-American live births.**	1989	7.0% 13.2%	**No** **No**
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	**Reduce the infant mortality rate to no more than 7 per 1,000 live births.** **Reduce the African-American infant mortality rate to no more than 11 per 1,000 live births.**	1989	9.8 per 1,000 live births 17.7 per 1,000 live births	**No** **No**
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	**Reduce the death rate for children by 15 percent to no more than 28 per 100,000 children ages 1-14.**	1989	32.4 per 100,000 children ages 1-14	**Yes**
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	**None***	1989	69.3 per 100,000 teens ages 15-19	**?**
Percent all births that are to single teens	**None**	1989	8.6%	**?**
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	**None**	1989	156.0 per 100,000 youths ages 10-15	**?**
Percent graduating high school	**Increase the high school graduation rate to at least 90%.**	1989	69.6%	**No**
Percent children in poverty	**None**	1986-90	19.5%	**?**
Percent children in single-parent families	**None**	1987-91	24.1%	**?**

*The national goal is to reduce the death rate for adolescents and young people by 15 percent to no more than 85 per 100,000 people ages 15-24. The KIDS COUNT indicator measures the teen violent death rate for teens ages 15-19. Therefore, the national goal could not be used in this context

This chart assists readers in comparing states' total performance based on the nine KIDS COUNT measures of child well-being. In addition to showing whether a state ranks higher or lower overall than another state, this chart shows the distance among states by their scores.



The 1992 *KIDS COUNT Data Book* is the third annual profile of child well-being. This chart compares the three years of KIDS COUNT data. Where indicators were changed between the 1990, 1991, and 1992 editions, the 1992 measures were used for all three years in this retrospective profile and the National Composite Rank for each previous year was recalculated based on the 1992 indicators. The percent change over time compares the first and third years of KIDS COUNT data. A negative number represents a worsening situation.

Indicators		AL			AK			AZ			AR			CA			CO			CT		
		Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change
Percent low birth weight babies	1987	45	8.0		1	4.8		19	6.4		39	7.7		17	6.0		43	7.9		23	6.7	
	1988	43	8.0	-3%	5	5.0	-2%	20	6.2	2%	46	8.2	-7%	15	6.0	-1%	40	7.8	2%	24	6.7	-4%
	1989	45	8.3		1	4.9		20	6.3		45	8.3		17	6.1		41	7.8		25	6.9	
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1987	47	12.2		34	10.4		20	9.5		33	10.3		14	9.0		26	9.8		11	8.8	
	1988	46	12.1	1%	44	11.6	11%	25	9.7	3%	35	10.7	1%	12	8.6	5%	24	9.6	11%	17	8.9	0%
	1989	48	12.1		20	9.2		20	9.2		34	10.2		12	8.5		15	8.7		16	8.8	
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1987	37	36.5		51	52.9		45	40.7		43	39.6		19	32.2		17	31.6		3	24.2	
	1988	38	36.3	4%	51	45.5	13%	50	42.7	4%	42	39.0	-14%	23	31.5	5%	5	25.6	11%	7	27.2	0%
	1989	34	35.2		50	45.9		46	39.1		49	45.0		15	30.5		7	28.3		2	24.1	
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1987	46	87.7		43	85.4		42	83.8		48	88.4		28	71.5		15	62.8		5	45.6	
	1988	29	74.4	14%	48	97.5	-80%	44	87.0	-3%	41	83.6	-7%	25	72.4	-11%	15	66.1	-6%	13	65.4	-30%
	1989	33	75.5		50	153.8		43	86.6		47	94.7		38	79.4		22	66.8		13	59.4	
Percent all births that are to single teens	1987	47	10.5		9	5.7		37	9.0		45	10.2		19	6.8		17	6.6		7	5.5	
	1988	44	10.6	-11%	7	5.8	-10%	38	9.4	-5%	44	10.6	-9%	20	7.2	-9%	17	6.8	-13%	15	6.7	-23%
	1989	47	11.7		7	6.3		36	9.5		45	11.1		22	7.5		19	7.4		9	6.7	
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1987	16	110.0		48	301.0		41	203.0		18	120.0		44	238.0		25	143.0		32	166.0	
	1987	16	110.0	-14%	48	301.0	13%	41	203.0	7%	18	120.0	19%	44	238.0	5%	25	143.0	-10%	32	166.0	1%
	1989	21	125.0		46	261.0		37	188.0		14	97.0		44	227.0		28	157.0		33	164.0	
Percent graduating high school	1987	36	70.2		42	66.7		46	64.4		18	77.5		43	66.1		27	73.7		10	80.5	
	1988	23	74.9	-2%	43	65.5	-7%	48	61.1	1%	17	77.2	-1%	42	65.9	-3%	24	74.7	1%	7	84.9	8%
	1989	35	69.0		44	62.2		40	64.9		15	77.0		42	64.4		22	74.4		3	87.1	
Percent children in poverty	1984-88	49	31.0		4	12.4		31	20.0		47	29.6		35	20.5		20	15.7		2	9.8	
	1985-89	49	30.4	5%	9	12.8	-13%	33	19.6	-4%	48	28.5	7%	35	20.5	1%	24	17.0	-18%	2	8.0	27%
	1986-90	49	29.4		13	14.0		36	20.8		47	27.6		35	20.3		30	18.5		2	7.2	
Percent children in single-parent families	1985-89	50	32.6		17	20.3		32	23.5		44	27.4		26	22.1		40	25.4		16	20.2	
	1986-90	50	32.9	0%	18	20.0	-3%	31	23.1	1%	44	27.5	0%	27	22.6	-4%	39	26.3	-3%	10	18.1	8%
	1987-91	50	32.6		18	21.0		31	23.2		42	27.4		26	22.9		37	26.1		10	18.5	
National Composite	1990	48			40			41			45			32			23			4		
	1991	44			39			42			43			29			20			8		
	1992	46			42			40			45			32			21			4		

Indicators		DE			DC			FL			GA			HI			ID			USA	
		Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Data	Change
Percent low birth weight babies	1987	23	6.7		51	13.5		39	7.7		47	8.2		31	7.0		14	5.6		6.9	
	1988	36	7.4	-12%	51	14.3	-17%	39	7.7	0%	47	8.4	-1%	28	6.9	-1%	8	5.1	1%	6.9	-2%
	1989	36	7.5		51	15.8		39	7.7		45	8.3		30	7.1		10	5.5		7.0	
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1987	43	11.7		51	19.3		38	10.6		48	12.7		13	8.9		34	10.4		10.1	
	1988	45	11.8	-1%	51	23.2	-19%	34	10.6	7%	50	12.6	3%	2	7.2	7%	16	8.8	6%	10.0	3%
	1989	47	11.8		51	22.9		30	9.8		49	12.3		10	8.3		29	9.7		9.8	
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1987	21	32.5		39	37.7		47	40.9		44	39.8		7	27.5		40	38.2		33.3	
	1988	11	29.7	-7%	47	41.1	-8%	48	42.1	7%	41	38.5	10%	2	22.3	-7%	44	39.6	0%	33.2	3%
	1989	33	34.8		48	40.9		41	37.8		36	35.9		9	29.5		42	38.2		32.4	
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1987	1	40.8		21	66.7		29	71.8		33	75.0		6	49.4		50	90.0		66.5	
	1988	22	70.8	-4%	51	162.2	-256%	43	85.9	-4%	38	81.9	-8%	6	56.4	8%	47	93.8	12%	69.7	-4%
	1989	2	42.6		51	237.1		29	74.4		39	80.6		6	45.5		37	79.0		69.3	
Percent all births that are to single teens	1987	43	9.7		51	15.6		36	8.8		45	10.2		13	6.4		4	5.0		7.9	
	1988	39	9.6	-1%	51	16.7	-10%	37	9.2	-9%	44	10.6	-11%	11	6.5	-11%	4	5.3	-16%	8.2	-8%
	1989	39	9.8		51	17.2		38	9.6		46	11.4		13	7.1		5	5.8		8.6	
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1987	22	135.0		51	475.0		29	159.0		26	145.0		4	74.0		14	106.0		158.0	
	1987	22	135.0	9%	51	475.0	2%	29	159.0	8%	26	145.0	-10%	4	74.0	55%	14	106.0	13%	158.0	1%
	1989	20	123.0		51	467.0		25	146.0		31	159.0		1	33.0		11	92.0		156.0	
Percent graduating high school	1987	37	70.1		51	55.5		50	58.6		48	62.5		35	70.8		14	78.8		71.5	
	1988	33	71.7	5%	50	58.2	0%	51	58.0	-4%	49	61.0	-4%	38	69.1	-3%	22	75.4	-3%	71.2	-3%
	1989	25	73.4		51	55.3		50	56.5		48	59.8		36	68.9		18	76.2		69.6	
Percent children in poverty	1984-88	16	15.0		48	29.9		32	20.2		41	23.0		20	15.7		30	19.8		20.0	
	1985-89	17	15.0	14%	47	27.9	13%	31	19.2	1%	42	23.3	0%	21	16.3	-9%	29	18.3	8%	19.6	2%
	1986-90	7	12.9		44	25.9		33	19.9		42	23.0		24	17.2		29	18.3		19.5	
Percent children in single-parent families	1985-89	42	26.2		51	56.3		47	28.7		49	30.7		13	19.1		2	14.2		23.5	
	1986-90	41	26.5	2%	51	55.1	2%	45	28.6	-1%	49	30.6	4%	15	19.4	-4%	2	13.7	-4%	23.8	-3%
	1987-91	36	25.7		51	54.9		45	28.8		47	29.7		13	19.9		2	14.7		24.1	
National Composite	1990	26			51			44			47			12			19				
	1991	33			51			46			48			9			18				
	1992	28			51			43			47			13			17				

Indicators		IL			IN			IA			KS			KY			LA			ME		
		Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change
Percent low birth weight babies	1987	37	7.4		21	6.5		5	5.1		19	6.4		26	6.8		49	8.7		9	5.4	
	1988	37	7.5	-4%	23	6.6	-2%	11	5.4	-6%	19	6.1	4%	24	6.7	0%	49	8.8	-5%	2	4.8	9%
	1989	39	7.7		22	6.6		7	5.4		17	6.1		24	6.8		48	9.1		1	4.9	
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1987	42	11.6		30	10.1		15	9.1		20	9.5		24	9.7		45	11.8		4	8.3	
	1988	42	11.3	-1%	39	11.0	-2%	14	8.7	9%	6	8.0	7%	35	10.7	5%	39	11.0	3%	4	7.9	10%
	1989	46	11.7		34	10.2		10	8.3		16	8.8		20	9.2		44	11.4		3	7.4	
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1987	23	32.7		19	32.2		6	26.9		26	33.0		31	33.9		42	38.8		7	27.5	
	1988	25	31.8	-5%	31	34.2	-4%	8	28.8	-15%	30	33.6	5%	32	34.3	4%	37	36.1	0%	20	31.0	-18%
	1989	30	34.1		29	33.4		17	30.9		19	31.2		26	32.5		45	39.0		24	32.3	
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1987	10	56.5		14	61.7		16	63.3		27	71.2		26	70.7		37	78.4		7	49.5	
	1988	16	67.1	-16%	18	68.9	7%	13	65.4	-14%	32	75.0	6%	34	77.1	-4%	39	82.0	-10%	12	64.5	-2%
	1989	20	65.6		11	57.3		27	72.5		21	66.7		28	73.2		42	86.4		8	50.5	
Percent all births that are to single teens	1987	40	9.6		35	8.6		11	5.9		13	6.4		30	7.8		49	11.5		21	7.0	
	1988	41	10.0	-10%	34	8.8	-6%	10	6.4	-21%	15	6.7	-11%	30	8.4	-12%	49	11.9	-7%	18	7.0	-8%
	1989	42	10.6		34	9.1		17	7.2		13	7.1		31	8.7		49	12.4		22	7.5	
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1987	3	73.0		43	232.0		42	231.0		44	238.0		8	99.0		14	106.0		5	78.0	
	1987	3	73.0	-15%	43	232.0	12%	42	231.0	-22%	44	238.0	-1%	8	99.0	12%	14	106.0	-15%	5	78.0	-15%
	1989	6	84.0		41	204.0		47	281.0		45	240.0		7	87.0		19	122.0		10	90.0	
Percent graduating high school	1987	22	75.7		27	73.7		5	86.4		8	82.1		40	67.4		49	60.1		13	79.3	
	1988	21	75.6	0%	19	76.3	1%	5	85.8	-3%	9	80.2	-4%	39	69.0	0%	47	61.4	-1%	25	74.4	-7%
	1989	19	75.5		23	74.1		7	83.7		11	79.0		38	67.1		49	59.5		24	73.9	
Percent children in poverty	1984-88	38	22.0		18	15.4		26	18.3		5	12.5		40	22.7		49	31.0		17	15.2	
	1985-89	37	21.4	5%	22	16.4	-11%	23	16.9	18%	10	13.2	-3%	39	21.8	7%	50	31.8	-12%	14	14.8	-5%
	1986-90	37	21.0		23	17.1		18	14.9		7	12.9		38	21.2		51	34.6		22	16.1	
Percent children in single-parent families	1985-89	42	26.2		19	20.6		9	17.2		8	16.3		24	21.5		45	27.7		15	19.6	
	1986-90	42	26.6	-4%	22	21.2	-11%	7	16.2	13%	8	17.7	-13%	26	22.3	-10%	46	28.7	-13%	20	20.6	-8%
	1987-91	41	27.2		28	23.0		4	15.0		9	18.3		32	23.7		49	31.3		19	21.2	
National Composite	1990	33			25			8			15			31			49			5		
	1991	32			30			12			16			35			49			11		
	1992	35			26			15			16			27			49			10		

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		Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Data	Change
Percent low birth weight babies	1987	42	7.8		15	5.7		36	7.2		4	5.0		50	9.0		31	7.0		6.9	
	1988	45	8.1	-3%	15	6.0	-3%	35	7.3	-6%	5	5.0	2%	48	8.7	-5%	26	6.8	1%	6.9	-2%
	1989	42	8.0		16	5.9		37	7.6		1	4.9		50	9.4		25	6.9		7.0	
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1987	41	11.5		1	7.2		39	10.7		9	8.7		50	13.7		31	10.2		10.1	
	1988	42	11.3	10%	4	7.9	-6%	41	11.1	-3%	3	7.8	18%	47	12.3	15%	30	10.1	3%	10.0	3%
	1989	38	10.3		4	7.7		41	11.1		2	7.1		45	11.6		31	9.9		9.8	
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1987	29	33.4		2	24.0		35	35.2		4	24.9		48	41.8		36	36.0		33.3	
	1988	18	30.9	6%	3	23.7	7%	27	33.1	11%	9	29.2	-14%	40	37.8	-13%	29	33.4	5%	33.2	3%
	1989	22	31.5		1	22.3		21	31.3		8	28.5		51	47.3		31	34.2		32.4	
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1987	20	66.3		4	44.7		37	78.4		13	59.8		34	75.8		36	78.2		66.5	
	1988	17	68.6	-5%	3	50.4	1%	25	72.4	4%	9	59.8	-4%	37	80.4	2%	24	72.1	-6%	69.7	-4%
	1989	25	69.8		3	44.4		32	75.0		18	61.9		30	74.5		41	83.2		69.3	
Percent all births that are to single teens	1987	39	9.1		13	6.4		29	7.6		7	5.5		50	14.1		33	8.4		7.9	
	1988	36	9.1	5%	11	6.5	-6%	28	7.8	-14%	5	5.5	-9%	50	14.9	-12%	35	8.9	-13%	8.2	-8%
	1989	29	8.6		11	6.8		29	8.6		6	5.9		50	15.8		36	9.5		8.6	
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1987	36	181.0		6	83.0		35	180.0		40	197.0		2	72.0		24	141.0		158.0	
	1987	36	181.0	29%	6	83.0	-6%	35	180.0	-5%	40	197.0	9%	2	72.0	-28%	24	141.0	-15%	158.0	1%
	1989	22	128.0		8	88.0		39	189.0		36	179.0		11	92.0		32	162.0		156.0	
Percent graduating high school	1987	23	74.5		20	76.5		25	74.0		1	90.6		45	64.8		24	74.4		71.5	
	1988	27	74.1	-3%	25	74.4	-6%	30	73.6	-15%	1	90.9	-1%	40	66.9	-7%	29	74.0	-4%	71.2	-3%
	1989	27	72.0		27	72.0		43	62.8		1	89.3		46	60.1		29	71.6		69.6	
Percent children in poverty	1984-88	6	12.6		9	14.1		37	20.8		22	16.0		51	34.2		27	18.5		20.0	
	1985-89	8	12.7	-6%	11	14.1	-5%	34	19.7	5%	25	17.5	-14%	51	33.7	-1%	28	18.1	3%	19.6	2%
	1986-90	11	13.4		17	14.8		32	19.8		28	18.1		50	34.4		26	18.0		19.5	
Percent children in single-parent families	1985-89	40	25.4		32	23.5		34	24.5		10	17.6		46	28.5		27	22.6		23.5	
	1986-90	43	26.8	-8%	32	23.5	-4%	36	25.2	-7%	11	18.2	-8%	47	29.4	-8%	29	23.0	1%	23.8	-3%
	1987-91	43	27.5		33	24.5		38	26.2		11	18.9		48	30.8		24	22.5		24.1	
National Composite	1990	36			2			38			3			50			34				
	1991	34			7			36			6			50			28				
	1992	29			7			39			6			50			34				

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Percent low birth weight babies	1987	12	5.5		12	5.5		27	6.9		2	4.9		31	7.0		31	7.0		38	7.6	
	1988	15	6.0	0%	13	5.5	-5%	37	7.5	-4%	2	4.8	-4%	31	7.0	-5%	34	7.2	1%	40	7.8	0%
	1989	10	5.5		14	5.8		33	7.2		5	5.1		34	7.3		25	6.9		37	7.6	
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1987	29	10.0		7	8.6		22	9.6		2	7.8		19	9.4		3	8.1		39	10.7	
	1988	14	8.7	-13%	19	9.0	7%	10	8.4	16%	9	8.3	-3%	27	9.9	1%	29	10.0	-5%	37	10.8	1%
	1989	42	11.3		5	7.9		9	8.1		6	8.0		25	9.3		12	8.5		39	10.6	
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1987	30	33.7		33	35.0		16	31.3		1	21.9		24	32.8		50	43.1		10	29.3	
	1988	10	29.3	-8%	26	32.7	12%	45	40.6	-20%	4	25.2	-35%	28	33.2	19%	49	42.3	15%	12	29.8	-2%
	1989	37	36.4		16	30.8		39	37.4		9	29.5		4	26.6		38	36.5		14	30.1	
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1987	51	98.3		39	79.5		41	80.6		31	74.4		3	44.1		49	89.9		9	53.5	
	1988	40	82.8	18%	29	74.4	27%	36	79.4	-26%	23	72.0	12%	2	47.8	6%	49	102.5	-12%	7	59.2	0%
	1989	40	80.7		12	57.8		49	101.4		19	65.4		1	41.5		48	100.9		9	53.5	
Percent all births that are to single teens	1987	16	6.5		12	6.1		5	5.1		3	4.9		28	7.4		44	9.9		25	7.3	
	1988	14	6.6	-3%	11	6.5	-9%	8	6.1	-38%	2	4.7	-6%	24	7.3	4%	47	10.8	-11%	20	7.2	-2%
	1989	9	6.7		8	6.6		13	7.1		2	5.2		13	7.1		44	11.0		19	7.4	
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1987	34	168.0		49	308.0		50	356.0		8	99.0		11	100.0		30	162.0		31	163.0	
	1987	34	168.0	17%	49	308.0	31%	50	356.0	2%	8	99.0	-1%	11	100.0	8%	30	162.0	14%	31	163.0	-3%
	1989	23	139.0		43	213.0		50	348.0		15	100.0		11	92.0		23	139.0		35	168.0	
Percent graduating high school	1987	6	86.2		4	86.7		32	72.1		30	72.7		19	77.2		33	71.7		47	62.9	
	1988	4	87.3	3%	6	85.4	-2%	20	75.8	4%	27	74.1	-3%	15	77.4	0%	32	71.9	-16%	46	62.3	-3%
	1989	2	88.4		6	85.2		20	74.7		32	70.5		16	76.9		47	60.0		45	61.1	
Percent children in poverty	1984-88	34	20.4		25	17.5		10	14.4		1	5.1		7	13.5		45	27.3		42	23.2	
	1985-89	38	21.5	-11%	26	17.7	10%	12	14.5	8%	1	5.1	-14%	6	12.6	4%	46	27.4	-2%	41	22.1	8%
	1986-90	41	22.6		21	15.8		10	13.3		1	5.8		7	12.9		48	27.8		39	21.4	
Percent children in single-parent families	1985-89	12	18.8		6	15.3		36	24.8		4	14.9		30	22.7		37	24.9		48	30.1	
	1986-90	16	19.5	-6%	4	15.1	3%	37	25.4	-5%	5	15.4	-9%	25	22.1	-1%	34	23.6	7%	48	30.0	3%
	1987-91	15	20.0		3	14.8		38	26.2		6	16.3		26	22.9		28	23.0		46	29.3	
National Composite	1990	22			18			35			1			14			43			37		
	1991	14			17			38			1			13			45			37		
	1992	20			8			37			2			11			44			36		

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Percent low birth weight babies	1987	43	7.9		2	4.9		22	6.6		23	6.7		9	5.4		27	6.9		6.9	
	1988	43	8.0	-3%	2	4.8	-3%	28	6.9	-7%	22	6.5	4%	9	5.2	3%	28	6.9	-2%	6.9	-2%
	1989	43	8.1		4	5.0		28	7.0		21	6.5		6	5.2		30	7.1		7.0	
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1987	46	11.9		9	8.7		18	9.3		22	9.6		34	10.4		34	10.4		10.1	
	1988	49	12.5	5%	33	10.5	8%	25	9.7	-7%	19	9.0	11%	12	8.6	14%	27	9.9	2%	10.0	3%
	1989	42	11.3		6	8.0		31	9.9		12	8.5		18	8.9		34	10.2		9.8	
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1987	38	37.5		46	40.8		26	33.0		22	32.6		25	32.9		14	30.7		33.3	
	1988	42	39.0	-3%	15	30.3	21%	16	30.8	11%	34	35.2	-8%	35	35.6	6%	18	30.9	8%	33.2	3%
	1989	43	38.5		25	32.4		9	29.5		34	35.2		17	30.9		6	28.1		32.4	
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1987	22	66.8		16	63.3		11	56.9		25	69.2		45	86.1		8	50.8		66.5	
	1988	19	69.0	-4%	27	72.9	29%	4	53.2	6%	21	70.0	-27%	46	93.3	13%	5	53.5	-17%	69.7	-4%
	1989	24	69.2		4	44.7		9	53.5		44	87.9		31	74.9		14	59.6		69.3	
Percent all births that are to single teens	1987	40	9.6		2	4.6		37	9.0		32	8.1		22	7.1		31	8.0		7.9	
	1988	43	10.1	-12%	3	5.0	-15%	39	9.6	-12%	32	8.5	-9%	24	7.3	-11%	30	8.4	-11%	8.2	-8%
	1989	43	10.8		3	5.3		40	10.1		32	8.9		25	7.9		32	8.9		8.6	
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1987	20	127.0		19	123.0		38	193.0		12	101.0		39	194.0		37	186.0		158.0	
	1987	20	127.0	-24%	19	123.0	-33%	38	193.0	-6%	12	101.0	13%	39	194.0	3%	37	186.0	-6%	158.0	1%
	1989	30	158.0		33	164.0		42	205.0		8	88.0		37	188.0		40	197.0		156.0	
Percent graduating high school	1987	38	67.8		3	88.4		11	80.3		31	72.6		29	72.8		15	78.7		71.5	
	1988	41	66.7	0%	2	88.3	-2%	10	79.6	-2%	33	71.7	1%	31	73.0	-2%	14	78.4	-2%	71.2	-3%
	1989	37	67.6		4	86.8		12	78.5		26	73.3		31	71.2		16	76.9		69.6	
Percent children in poverty	1984-88	28	18.6		22	16.0		29	19.5		36	20.7		15	14.9		24	16.6		20.0	
	1985-89	27	17.8	3%	20	15.5	6%	29	18.3	8%	36	20.9	3%	18	15.2	5%	18	15.2	6%	19.6	2%
	1986-90	26	18.0		19	15.1		25	17.8		34	20.1		14	14.1		20	15.6		19.5	
Percent children in single-parent families	1985-89	34	24.5		1	11.2		22	21.1		25	22.0		30	22.7		14	19.5		23.5	
	1986-90	35	24.8	-3%	1	11.6	-11%	21	21.1	-3%	24	22.0	-2%	29	23.0	-1%	14	19.2	-4%	23.8	-3%
	1987-91	35	25.2		1	12.4		21	21.7		24	22.5		28	23.0		16	20.3		24.1	
National Composite	1990	39			6			21			24			28			17				
	1991	41			3			22			27			26			19				
	1992	41			1			23			24			18			19				

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		Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change
Percent low birth weight babies	1987	17	6.0		48	8.6		6	5.2		46	8.1		27	6.9		15	5.7		7	5.3	
	1988	15	6.0	-2%	50	9.0	-7%	1	4.7	-4%	42	7.9	-1%	26	6.8	-1%	14	5.7	0%	5	5.0	-4%
	1989	19	6.2		49	9.2		7	5.4		44	8.2		28	7.0		13	5.7		7	5.4	
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1987	5	8.4		48	12.7		28	9.9		43	11.7		15	9.1		11	8.8		6	8.5	
	1988	8	8.2	-22%	47	12.3	0%	30	10.1	4%	37	10.8	8%	19	9.0	0%	6	8.0	9%	1	6.8	18%
	1989	34	10.2		50	12.8		28	9.6		40	10.8		20	9.2		6	8.0		1	6.9	
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1987	11	29.5		40	38.2		49	42.9		18	32.0		26	33.0		32	34.1		9	28.0	
	1988	1	21.1	14%	46	41.0	-5%	20	31.0	13%	38	36.3	7%	33	34.5	-4%	16	30.8	5%	6	26.9	-13%
	1989	3	25.3		47	40.3		39	37.4		13	29.9		32	34.3		26	32.5		23	31.8	
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1987	2	42.5		47	88.3		30	73.1		44	85.6		23	67.9		32	74.6		39	79.5	
	1988	1	38.0	-11%	42	84.4	21%	45	92.3	-7%	35	77.4	11%	31	74.7	-15%	10	62.4	19%	20	69.8	43%
	1989	7	47.1		26	70.0		36	78.4		34	75.8		35	78.1		17	60.7		5	45.2	
Percent all births that are to single teens	1987	25	7.3		48	11.0		20	6.9		40	9.6		22	7.1		1	4.3		6	5.3	
	1988	28	7.8	-8%	48	11.6	-9%	20	7.2	-9%	41	10.0	-8%	26	7.4	-3%	1	4.4	-11%	6	5.7	-8%
	1989	25	7.9		48	12.0		22	7.5		41	10.3		19	7.4		1	4.7		4	5.7	
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1987	17	117.0		27	146.0		47	289.0		7	90.0		13	102.0		21	132.0		8	99.0	
	1987	17	117.0	-3%	27	146.0	0%	47	289.0	-11%	7	90.0	13%	13	102.0	-1%	21	132.0	39%	8	99.0	36%
	1989	18	120.0		25	146.0		48	322.0		4	78.0		16	103.0		5	80.0		2	63.0	
Percent graduating high school	1987	34	71.1		41	66.9		12	79.7		38	67.8		44	65.1		9	80.6		16	78.0	
	1988	36	69.8	-2%	45	64.6	-4%	10	79.6	0%	37	69.3	3%	44	65.3	1%	12	79.4	-1%	13	78.7	-1%
	1989	33	69.8		41	64.5		9	80.0		34	69.6		39	65.5		10	79.9		14	77.4	
Percent children in poverty	1984-88	10	14.4		39	22.1		32	20.2		44	24.9		43	23.4		3	12.1		7	13.5	
	1985-89	3	11.6	20%	40	21.9	-2%	32	19.5	6%	44	25.1	-4%	43	23.9	-2%	4	11.8	5%	5	12.4	6%
	1986-90	3	11.5		40	22.4		31	19.0		45	26.0		43	24.0		3	11.5		6	12.7	
Percent children in single-parent families	1985-89	18	20.5		38	25.1		7	16.2		39	25.3		23	21.2		4	14.9		19	20.6	
	1986-90	12	18.6	7%	38	26.2	-4%	9	17.8	-22%	39	26.3	-13%	23	21.9	-3%	6	16.0	-4%	19	20.2	1%
	1987-91	12	19.0		40	26.3		13	19.9		44	28.5		22	21.9		5	15.5		16	20.3	
National Composite	1990	11			46			30			42			29			7			9		
	1991	4			47			24			40			31			5			2		
	1992	12			48			31			38			33			3			5		

Indicators		VA			WA			WV			WI			WY			USA	
		Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Rank	Data	Change	Data	Change
Percent low birth weight babies	1987	27	6.9		7	5.3		35	7.1		9	5.4		39	7.7		6.9	
	1988	31	7.0	-3%	9	5.2	-5%	21	6.4	6%	11	5.4	-6%	31	7.0	5%	6.9	-2%
	1989	30	7.1		12	5.6		22	6.6		14	5.8		34	7.3		7.0	
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1987	31	10.2		24	9.7		26	9.8		7	8.6		17	9.2		10.1	
	1988	32	10.4	2%	19	9.0	5%	19	9.0	3%	10	8.4	-5%	17	8.9	-3%	10.0	3%
	1989	33	10.0		20	9.2		26	9.4		19	9.1		26	9.4		9.8	
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1987	15	31.2		34	35.1		12	30.2		13	30.4		5	26.3		33.3	
	1988	12	29.8	0%	23	31.5	22%	36	36.0	-10%	20	31.0	2%	14	30.1	-47%	33.2	3%
	1989	19	31.2		5	27.6		28	33.2		12	29.8		43	38.5		32.4	
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1987	19	66.0		24	69.1		35	77.8		12	57.1		18	63.9		66.5	
	1988	8	59.7	8%	33	75.6	3%	28	74.0	-14%	11	63.9	-5%	50	114.3	-38%	69.7	-4%
	1989	16	60.5		23	67.0		46	89.0		15	60.2		45	88.2		69.3	
Percent all births that are to single teens	1987	24	7.2		18	6.7		34	8.5		25	7.3		10	5.8		7.9	
	1988	20	7.2	-10%	18	7.0	-9%	33	8.6	-9%	27	7.5	-9%	9	6.2	-21%	8.2	-8%
	1989	25	7.9		18	7.3		35	9.3		28	8.0		12	7.0		8.6	
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1987	28	147.0		23	139.0		1	56.0		33	167.0		46	287.0		158.0	
	1987	28	147.0	-7%	23	139.0	18%	1	56.0	-34%	33	167.0	7%	46	287.0	-14%	158.0	1%
	1989	28	157.0		17	114.0		3	75.0		27	156.0		49	326.0		156.0	
Percent graduating high school	1987	25	74.0		17	77.8		21	76.2		7	85.4		2	89.3		71.5	
	1988	35	71.6	-4%	18	77.1	-4%	16	77.3	2%	7	84.9	-5%	2	88.3	-4%	71.2	-3%
	1989	30	71.3		20	74.7		13	77.6		8	81.1		5	85.9		69.6	
Percent children in poverty	1984-88	10	14.4		19	15.6		46	28.5		14	14.8		13	14.6		20.0	
	1985-89	13	14.6	-2%	14	14.8	11%	45	27.3	6%	6	12.6	20%	14	14.8	1%	19.6	2%
	1986-90	16	14.6		12	13.9		46	26.9		5	11.8		15	14.5		19.5	
Percent children in single-parent families	1985-89	27	22.6		27	22.6		11	18.4		19	20.6		2	14.2		23.5	
	1986-90	32	23.5	-9%	28	22.9	3%	17	19.7	-17%	12	18.6	15%	3	14.9	-16%	23.8	-3%
	1987-91	33	24.5		23	22.0		20	21.5		8	17.5		7	16.4		24.1	
National Composite	1990	20			16			27			10			13				
	1991	21			15			25			10			23				
	1992	22			14			30			9			25				

This chart lists the states in rank order by each of the nine KIDS COUNT indicators based on the most recent data available. This chart allows the reader to compare a state's performance with those of other states on each individual measure.

Indicators		**1**		**2**		**3**		**4**		**5**		**6**		**7**		**8**		**9**	
		State	**Data**	**State**	**Data**	**State**	**Data**	**State**	**Data**	**State**	**Data**	**State**	**Data**	**State**	**Data**	**State**	**Data**	**State**	**Data**
Percent low birth weight babies	1989	ME MN AK	4.9					ND	5.0	NH	5.1	OR	5.2	SD IA VT	5.4				
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1989	VT	6.9	MN	7.1	ME	7.4	MA	7.7	NE	7.9	NH UT ND	8.0					NV	8.1
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1989	MA	22.3	CT	24.1	RI	25.3	NJ	26.6	WA	27.6	PA	28.1	CO	28.3	MN	28.5	OH NH HI	29.5
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1989	NJ	41.5	DE	42.6	MA	44.4	ND	44.7	VT	45.2	HI	45.5	RI	47.1	ME	50.5	OH NY	53.5
Percent all births that are to single teens	1989	UT	4.7	NH	5.2	ND	5.3	VT	5.7	ID	5.8	MN	5.9	AK	6.3	NE	6.6	MT CT	6.7
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1989	HI	33.0	VT	63.0	WV	75.0	TN	78.0	UT	80.0	IL	84.0	KY	87.0	MA OK	88.0		
Percent graduating high school	1989	MN	89.3	MT	88.4	CT	87.1	ND	86.8	WY	85.9	NE	85.2	IA	83.7	WI	81.1	SD	80.0
Percent children in poverty	1986-89	NH	5.8	CT	7.2	UT RI	11.5			WI	11.8	VT	12.7	KS DE NJ	12.9				
Percent children in single-parent families	1987-91	ND	12.4	ID	14.7	NE	14.8	IA	15.0	UT	15.5	NH	16.3	WY	16.4	WI	17.5	KS	18.3
National Composite	1992	ND		NH		UT		CT		VT		MN		MA		NE		WI	

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State	**Data**	**State**	**Data**	**State**	**Data**	**State**	**Data**	**State**	**Data**	**State**	**Data**	**State**	**Data**	**State**	**Data**	**State**	**Data**	**State**	**Data**	**State**	**Data**	**State**	**Data**
ID MT	5.5			WA	5.6	UT	5.7	WI NE	5.8			MA	5.9	CA KS	6.1			RI	6.2	AZ	6.3	OK	6.5
HI IA	8.3			NM CA OK	8.5					CO	8.7	CT KS	8.8			OR	8.9	WI	9.1	TX WA AK AZ KY	9.2		
				WI	29.8	TN	29.9	NY	30.1	CA	30.5	NE	30.8	OR IA	30.9			VA KS	31.2			MI	31.3
		IN	57.3	NE	57.8	CT	59.4	PA	59.6	WI	60.2	VA	60.5	UT	60.7	MN	61.9	NH	65.4	IL	65.6	KS	66.7
		MA	6.8	WY	7.0	HI NJ NV KS	7.1							IA	7.2	WA	7.3	TX NY CO	7.4				
ME	90.0	ID MS NJ	92.0					AR	97.0	NH	100.0	TX	103.0	WA	114.0	RI	120.0	LA	122.0	DE	123.0	AL	125.0
UT	79.9	KS	79.0	OH	78.5	WV	77.6	VT	77.4	AR	77.0	PA NJ	76.9			ID	76.2	IL	75.5	WA NV	74.7		
NV	13.3	MD	13.4	WA	13.9	AK	14.0	OR	14.1	WY	14.5	VA	14.6	MA	14.8	IA	14.9	ND	15.1	PA	15.6	NE	15.8
CT	18.5	MN	18.9	RI	19.0	SD	19.9	HI	19.9	MT	20.0	PA VT	20.3			AK	21.0	ME	21.2	WV	21.5	OH	21.7
ME		NJ		RI		HI		WA		IA		KS		ID		OR		PA		MT		CO	

Indicators		22		23		24		25		26		27		28		29		30	
		State	Data	State	Data	State	Data	State	Data	State	Data	State	Data	State	Data	State	Data	State	Data
Percent low birth weight babies	1989	IN WV	6.6			KY	6.8	CT MO NM	6.9					TX OH	7.0			PA VA HI	7.1
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1989							NJ	9.3	WY WV	9.4			SD	9.6	ID	9.7	FL	9.8
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1989	MD	31.5	VT	31.8	ME	32.3	ND	32.4	UT KY	32.5			WV	33.2	IN	33.4	IL	34.1
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1989	CO	66.8	WA	67.0	NC	69.2	MD	69.8	SC	70.0	IA	72.5	KY	73.2	FL	74.4	MS	74.5
Percent all births that are to single teens	1989	CA SD ME	7.5					VA RI OR	7.9					WI	8.0	MI MD	8.6		
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1989	MD	128.0	MT NM	139.0			FL SC	146.0			WI	156.0	CO VA	157.0			NC	158.0
Percent graduating high school	1989	CO	74.4	IN	74.1	ME	73.9	DE	73.4	OK	73.3	MA MD	72.0			MO	71.6	VA	71.3
Percent children in poverty	1986-89	ME	16.1	IN	17.1	HI	17.2	OH	17.8	MO NC	18.0			MN	18.1	ID	18.3	CO	18.5
Percent children in single-parent families	1987-91	TX	21.9	WA	22.0	OK MO	22.5			NJ CA	22.9			IN OR NM	23.0				
National Composite	1992	VA		OH		OK		WY		IN		KY		DE		MD		WV	

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State	Data	State	Data	State	Data	State	Data	State	Data	State	Data	State	Data	State	Data	State	Data	State	Data	State	Data	State	Data
				NV	7.2	WY NJ	7.3			DE	7.5	MI NY	7.6			FL IL	7.7			CO	7.8	MD	8.0
MO OH	9.9			VA	10.0	PA RI AR IN	10.2							MD	10.3	NY	10.6	TN	10.8	MI	11.1	MT NC	11.3
MO	34.2	TX	34.3	DE	34.8	AL OK	35.2			GA	35.9	MT	36.4	NM	36.5	SD NV	37.4			FL	37.8	ID	38.2
OR	74.9	MI	75.0	AL	75.5	TN	75.8	TX	78.1	SD	78.4	ID	79.0	CA	79.4	GA	80.6	MT	80.7	MO	83.2	LA	86.4
KY	8.7	OK PA	8.9			IN	9.1	WV	9.3	AZ MO	9.5			FL	9.6	DE	9.8	OH	10.1	TN	10.3	IL	10.6
GA	159.0	MO	162.0	CT ND	164.0			NY	168.0	MN	179.0	AZ OR	188.0			MI	189.0	PA	197.0	IN	204.0	OH	205.0
OR	71.2	NH	70.5	RI	69.8	TN	69.6	AL	69.0	HI	68.9	NC	67.6	KY	67.1	TX	65.5	AZ	64.9	SC	64.5	CA	64.4
SD	19.0	MI	19.8	FL	19.9	OK	20.1	CA	20.3	AZ	20.8	IL	21.0	KY	21.2	NY	21.4	SC	22.4	MT	22.6	GA	23.0
AZ	23.2	KY	23.7	MA VA	24.5			NC	25.2	DE	25.7	CO	26.1	NV MI	26.2			SC	26.3	IL	27.2	AR	27.4
SD		CA		TX		MO		IL		NY		NV		TN		MI		AZ		NC		AK	

Indicators		43		44		45		46		47		48		49		50		51	
		State	Data	State	Data	State	Data	State	Data	State	Data	State	Data	State	Data	State	Data	State	Data
Percent low birth weight babies	1989	NC	8.1	TN	8.2	AL AR GA	8.3					LA	9.1	SC	9.2	MS	9.4	DC	15.8
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	1989			LA	11.4	MS	11.6	IL	11.7	DE	11.8	AL	12.1	GA	12.3	SC	12.8	DC	22.9
Child death rate Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children)	1989	NC WY	38.5			LA	39.0	AZ	39.1	SC	40.3	DC	40.9	AR	45.0	AK	45.9	MS	47.3
Teen violent death rate Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens)	1989	AZ	86.6	OK	87.9	WY	88.2	WV	89.0	AR	94.7	NM	100.9	NV	101.4	AK	153.8	DC	237.1
Percent all births that are to single teens	1989	NC	10.8	NM	11.0	AR	11.1	GA	11.4	AL	11.7	SC	12.0	LA	12.4	MS	15.8	DC	17.2
Juvenile custody rate Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths)	1989	NE	213.0	CA	227.0	KS	240.0	AK	261.0	IA	281.0	SD	322.0	WY	326.0	NV	348.0	DC	467.0
Percent graduating high school	1989	MI	62.8	AK	62.2	NY	61.1	MS	60.1	NM	60.0	GA	59.8	LA	59.5	FL	56.5	DC	55.3
Percent children in poverty	1986-89	TX	24.0	DC	25.9	TN	26.0	WV	26.9	AR	27.6	NM	27.8	AL	29.4	MS	34.4	LA	34.6
Percent children in single-parent families	1987-91	MD	27.5	TN	28.5	FL	28.8	NY	29.3	GA	29.7	MS	30.8	LA	31.3	AL	32.6	DC	54.9
National Composite	1992	FL		NM		AR		AL		GA		SC		LA		MS		DC	

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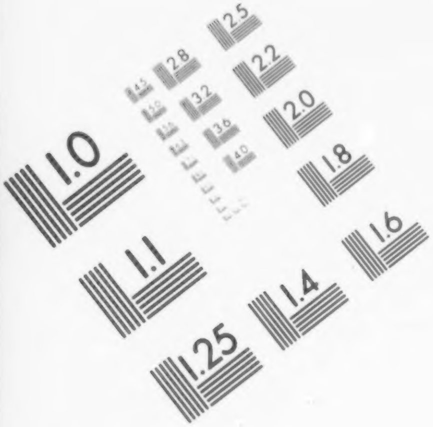

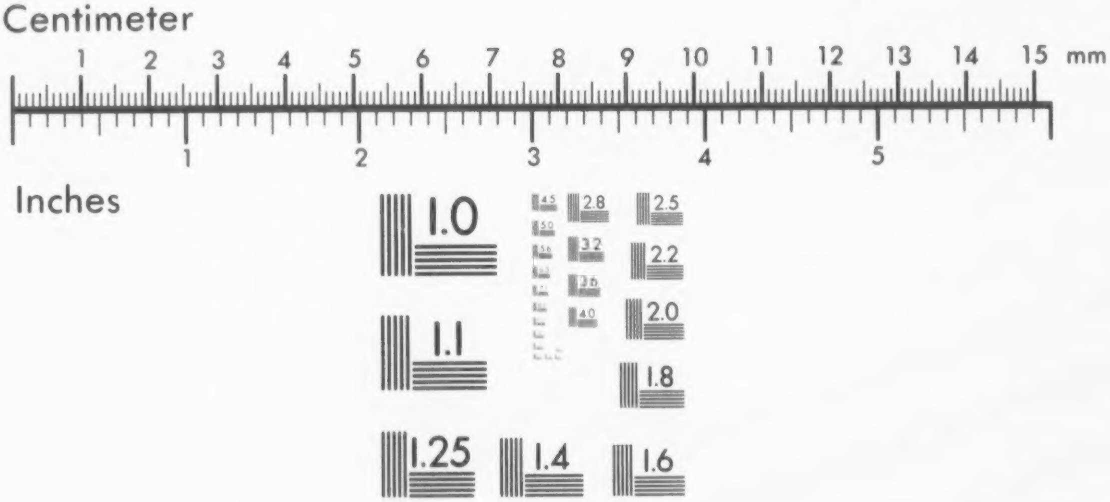

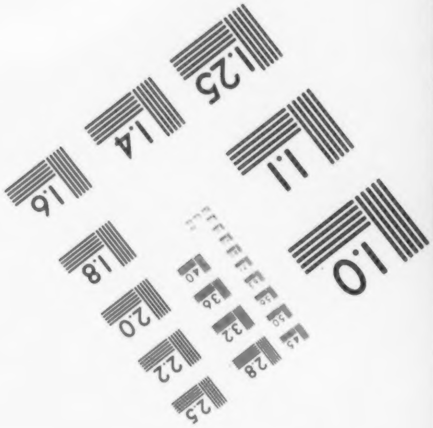

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AFDC and Food Stamp Benefits as Percent of Poverty is the percent of the previous year's U.S. poverty threshold that is covered by the combination of current-year state AFDC and Food Stamp benefit levels for a one-parent family of four persons. For such a family, the poverty threshold in 1990 was $13,360. (To reflect higher costs of living, the threshold was increased by 25 percent in Alaska and 15 percent in Hawaii.)

Child Death Rate, Ages 1-14 (per 100,000 children) is the number of deaths from all causes to children between the ages 1 and 14, per 100,000 children of those ages. The data are reported by place of residence. Data are not reported separately for Hispanics.

Children Living Outside Family is the number of children under age 18 who do not live in a household headed by a relative (except for a spouse). Such children include those who are householders or their spouses (e.g., teen household heads under age 18), those who live in households headed by a non-relative, and those who reside in group quarters (e.g., institutions).

Children Living with Other Relatives is the number of children under age 18 who live in a household headed by a relative (except for a spouse) other than one of their parents or step-parents.

Children Living with Their Parents is the number of children under age 18 who live in a household headed by at least one of their parents or step-parents.

Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000 live births) is the number of deaths of infants under one year of age, per 1,000 live births. The data are reported by place of residence. Data for whites and African Americans are reported by the race of the child. National Hispanic data were reported by 43 states and the District of Columbia in 1989. (Connecticut, Louisiana, Maryland, New Hampshire, Oklahoma, Rhode Island, and Virginia did not report Hispanic data.) Because few states reported Hispanic data prior to 1989, the percent change over time is not included.

Juvenile Custody Rate, Ages 10-15 (per 100,000 youths) is the estimated number of youths between the ages of 10 and 15 who are placed in public and private facilities for delinquent and status offenses, per 100,000 youths of those ages. These numbers are based on a single-day count from the biennial census of a wide range of public and private residential facilities for youths in custody. To achieve uniform rates among the states, delinquents and status offenders between the ages of 16 and 18 are omitted from those states in which the age of maximum original court jurisdiction exceeds 15 years. In contrast to this year's definition, the Juvenile Incarceration Rate in the 1991 *Data Book* was based on the number of youths age 10 through the age of maximum original court jurisdiction who were placed only in public detention centers and training schools.

Median Income of Families with Children is the median annual income for families with related children under the age of 18 years. "Related children" include the family head's children by birth, marriage, or adoption, as well as other persons under age 18 who are related to the family head. The data presented here represent five-year averages. All figures are expressed in 1990 dollars.

Median Income of Families with Children in the Bottom Fifth is the median annual income for families with related children under age 18 whose incomes are in the bottom 20 percent of the income distribution among all families. "Related children" include the family head's children by birth, marriage, or adoption, as well as other persons under age 18 who are related to the family head. The data presented here represent five-year averages. All figures are expressed in 1990 dollars.

Median Income of Families with Children in the Top Fifth is the median annual income for families with related children under age 18 whose incomes are in the top 20 percent of the income distribution among all families. "Related children" include the family head's children by birth, marriage, or adoption, as well as other persons under age 18 who are related to the family head. The data presented here represent five-year averages. All figures are expressed in 1990 dollars.

National Composite Rank for each state was obtained by converting the numerical values for each of the nine indicators to standard scores, summing those scores to create a total state standard score, and ranking the total standard score for each state in sequential order from highest/best (1) to lowest/worst (51). Whenever there was a tie of two or more states, they were all assigned the same lower rank (e.g., if three states tied at ranking position 20, they were all assigned a rank of 20 and the next state was ranked 23). All measures were treated equally; no attempt was made to judge the relative importance of each indicator.

National Goals for the Year 2000 have been set for four of the indicators. For these measures, projections were made in order to ascertain if the goals are likely to be reached. The projections for the year 2000 were based on national trend data and on the assumption that the same annual percent change observed from the base year to latest year will continue until the year 2000.

Percent All Births that are to Single Teens is the percent of live births that occur to unmarried women under age 20. Data are reported by the mother's place of residence. Data for whites and African Americans are reported by the race of the child. National Hispanic data were reported by 47 states and the District of Columbia in 1989. (Louisiana, New Hampshire, and Oklahoma did not report Hispanic data.) Because few states reported Hispanic data prior to 1989, the percent change over time is not included.

Percent Change Over Time Analysis was computed by comparing the most current data for each of the nine indicators with the historical data available closest to 1980. The percent change number is rounded to the closest whole number. The time periods vary by measure due to the unavailability of data for a uniform time period.

Percent Children in Poverty is the percent of related children under age 18 who live in families with incomes below the U.S. poverty threshold, as defined by the U.S. Bureau of the Census. "Related children" include the family head's children by birth, marriage, or adoption, as well as other persons under age 18 who are related to the family head. In 1990, the poverty threshold for a one-parent family of four persons was $13,360. Except for the base year of data, all data presented here represent five-year averages. In the 1991 *Data Book*, people of African-American or white origins were non-Hispanic African-American or non-Hispanic white for this indicator. This year, African Americans and whites of Hispanic origin are included in the respective racial totals.

Percent Children in Single-Parent Families is the percent of related children under age 18 who live in families headed by a person without a spouse present in the home. "Related children" include the family head's children by birth, marriage, or adoption, as well as other persons under age 18 who are related to the family head. The data presented here represent five-year averages.

Percent Children Without Health Insurance is the percent of related children under age 18 who are not covered by any kind of public or private health insurance, including Medicaid. "Related children" include a household head's children by birth, marriage, or adoption, as well as other persons under age 18 who are related to the household head. The data presented here represent five-year averages. In the 1991 *Data Book*, people of African-American or white origins were non-Hispanic African-American or non-Hispanic white for this indicator. This year, African Americans and whites of Hispanic origin are included in the respective racial totals.

Percent Graduating High School is computed by dividing the number of public high school graduates by the public ninth grade enrollment four years earlier. Ninth grade enrollments include a prorated portion of secondary school students not classified by grade. Graduation rates are also corrected for interstate population migration. The Department of Education does not calculate graduation percentages by race or ethnic origin. Therefore, the national figures for white, African-American, and Hispanic students come from a different data source and are defined as the percentage of persons ages 18 and 19 who are high school graduates.

Percent Low Birth Weight Babies is the percent of live births recorded as low birth weight. Babies of low birth weight are those who weigh under 2,500 grams (5.5 pounds) at birth. The data are reported by residence of the mother. Data for whites and African Americans are reported by the race of the child. National Hispanic data were reported by 47 states and the District of Columbia in 1989. (Louisiana, New Hampshire, and Oklahoma did not report Hispanic data.) Because few states reported Hispanic data prior to 1989, the percent change over time is not included.

State Scores and National Composite Ranks indicate whether child well-being in each state is better or worse than in other states and by how much. By transforming the state aggregated standard score for all nine social indicators to a new distribution with a mean of 1,000 and a standard deviation of 200, with high scores indicating better and low scores worse, the states ranged from a low of 12 (District of Columbia) to a high of 1,246 (North Dakota) as shown in the graph in Appendix 2.

Teen Violent Death Rate, Ages 15-19 (per 100,000 teens) is the number of deaths from homicides, suicides, and accidents to teens between the ages of 15 and 19, per 100,000 teens of those ages. The data are reported by place of residence. Data are not reported separately for Hispanics.

Total Minority Population Under Age 18 is the total population that is under the age of 18 years and identified as African-American, Hispanic, Asian-American, Native American, and/or other races. Hispanics compose an ethnic group and thus may be of any race. The source materials describe the racial and ethnic identification process.

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